

THE WEATHER
Showers and thunderstorms tonight; Friday fair and cool

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SENATE DEALING WITH EMERGENCY CURRENCY TODAY

HOUSE PASSED PATCHED UP BILL YESTERDAY

IT MAKES RY. STOCKS O. K.

FEATURE KILLED BY LA FOLLETTE AGAIN INCORPORATED

TURN LA FOLLETTE DOWN

Democrats Refuse Filibuster Plan—Publicity May Pass, Says Aldrich Answering Question

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—A patchwork emergency currency bill passed the house yesterday by a vote of 166 to 140. It will be taken up in the senate tomorrow for passage. Opposition in the senate will be led by Senators La Follette and Culberson. It is not thought that a filibuster will be organized with a view to effect its final defeat.

No Senate Filibuster.
The democratic senators at a conference this morning decided they would not filibuster against the passage of the currency bill. There will be a discussion of the measure to

- LA FOLLETTE CHAMPION OF THE TELEGRAPHS.
- WASHINGTON, May 28.—The senate today adopted a resolution introduced by Senator La Follette instructing the secretary of commerce and labor to investigate all telegraph and telephone companies, their methods of transacting business, wages paid, and other details. The inquiry is to cover a period of five years. La Follette referred to the inconvenience caused by the last strike of the telegraphers and said another strike was imminent. It was notorious, he said, that the operators are greatly underpaid. An investigation at this time, he said, might avoid a serious strike.

enable them to set forth their opposition to the bill, but they will be brief, and final adjournment, they think, may be had tomorrow night or Saturday.

La Follette Plan Fails
One of the interesting features of the democratic conference was the consideration of a proposition which, it is said, was made by Senator La Follette, which was to the effect that if the democrats would make a fight to kill the bill and would lend him the assistance of one man, he would undertake to talk the bill to death. La Follette is said, declared that in carrying out this program he would be willing to take either the day or night session as his part of the design. The democratic senators, however, declined to enter into any such "entangling alliance."

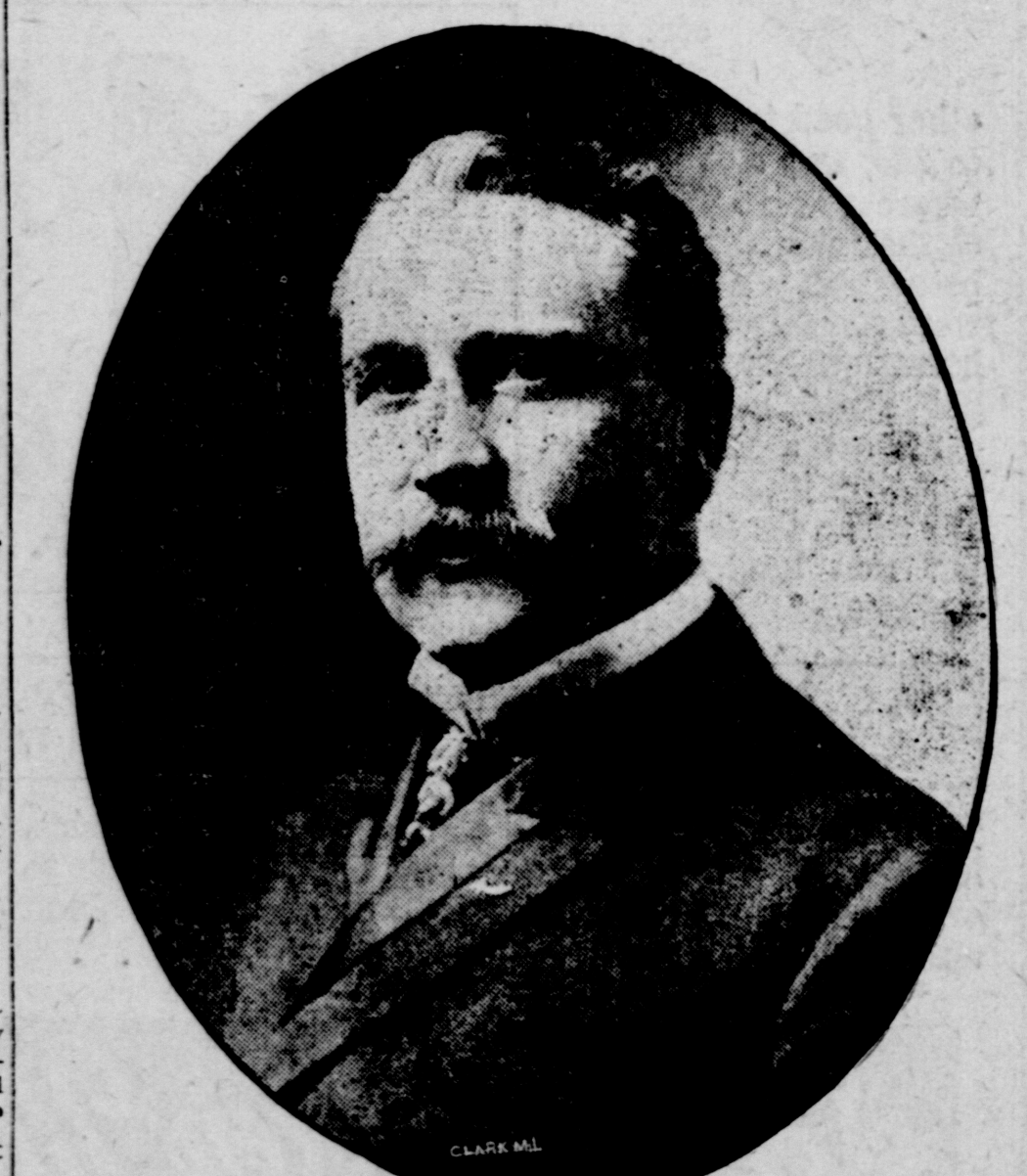
Senate Takes Action
This afternoon the senate began consideration of the conference report. Aldrich said the only provisions that had not received consideration by the senate were those relating to taxation, limitation on the life of the bill, amount of redemption fund, formation of a national currency association and the acceptance of commercial paper as a basis for emergency circulation. He said the redemption was superior to the existing law.

May Pass Publicity Bill
Culberson inquired whether there was any probability of passing the anti-injunction bill either here or in the house. Aldrich said that, speaking for himself, it seemed absolutely impossible to enact such legislation this session. This is due to wide differences of opinion relating to the measure. The passage of such a bill, he said, would require congress to remain in session for months. Culberson then asked whether any campaign publicity legislation may be expected at this session. Aldrich said he had no objection to voting on the McCall bill this afternoon, or any time.

Senator Aldrich won out in the conference held by the republicans on currency legislation. The principles of the Vreeland bill are subordinated to the Aldrich plan in the compromise agreed upon. In addition Senator Aldrich embodied in the bill as it passed the house a provision under which emergency currency may be taken out on railroad or other industrial bonds, as part of the assets of a bank.

Terms of the Bill
The compromise bill, after providing for the organization of national currency associations by national banks along lines laid down in the Vreeland bill, provides that the reserve required to be retained in central reserve and reserve cities is 10 per cent straight. A redemption fund of 10 per cent instead of 5 per

HE WILL BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE REPUBLICAN RE NOMINATION



Governor James O. Davidson, who today announces his candidacy for renomination in the republican primaries, briefly alluding in his statement to the policies for which he stands.

FAILED TO SELL THE CENTRAL OUT TODAY

The adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Central Electric company, called for the purpose of "selling the property of the company," was not held today. Neither Mr. Rose nor President McMillan appeared, nor did their lawyers or any representatives of the principals "show up." Neither could any of them be found this afternoon. It was stated, however, that up to this time no settlement had been reached between the factions.

MABELLE WAS A HOT LOVER—SEE LETTERS

CLINTON, Ill., May 28.—The letters of Mabelle Snell McNamara, introduced in evidence, are "too hot to handle" in newspapers passing through the mails, and have been expurgated for publication. They were so "strong" as to shock the court, who ordered many of them given to the jury as documentary evidence without their being read in court. Following are mild and fully expurgated examples of the fervid correspondence:

Best Letter Ever.
The letter, which was indorsed by the old millionaire as "the best letter I ever received, reads in part: "Dearest, you know it has been a long time since you were here. Are you never coming out again? I have been telling you that Walter has been down to see me several times, but I always tell him I am a lady. If it was not for you, it might be different, but you know I have promised never to marry or do anything else much until after your death. My mother knows what we do and I won't make any difference at all. I see Mr. — every once in a while. Don't forget to bring a nice check along."

"BABY."
As Mabelle is alleged to have secured several fine farms and \$200,000, besides an annuity of \$1,200 under the provisions of Col. Snell's will, her letters are known to be of kind Col. Snell liked best.

Letters Expurgated.
Another letter from Mabelle, with the objectionable parts eliminated, reads as follows: "Sweetest darling: Years have passed since I saw you—at any rate, it seems hardly possible that it is only a few days since we were together. Time hangs so heavy when I am not with you to enjoy your smiles and see your love for me."

"Now, darling, I am sorry I have to speak of other matters just now, but you know love won't pay for bread or buy good clothes. I need both—more of latter than former. I want the clothes because it makes you happy to see me dressed well. It takes hard dollars to be dressed well, and you, dearie, are to provide them. It will take \$500 at least to buy the things that I want—perhaps more."

"Now, don't fail me, dearest. Remember my position; send it. Thousands of sweetest kisses, hugs and lots more, from your own "BABY."

UNITED TO DEFAUD CITY?
BOSTON, May 28.—Six of the leading officials of as many boiler-making plants and structural iron works here were arrested by police inspectors yesterday, charged with conspiracy to defraud the city of Boston.

AYLWARD TO LEAD BADGER DEMOCRATS

JOHN C. BURNS PREDICTS HE WILL BE CANDIDATE

SENTIMENT STRONG FOR HIM

Madisonian Is Reticent, but Talks With Many State Leaders Point to His Nomination

"John A. Aylward, of Madison, is pretty certain to head the democratic ticket in this state this fall." So says John C. Burns, district delegate to the democratic national convention, who believes Mr. Aylward is possessed of a constructive statesmanship necessary to establishing the party in the confidence of the people. Mr. Burns draws his conclusions as to Aylward's candidacy from talks he had with leaders from various parts of the state at the time of Mr. Bryan's recent visit to Madison.

"There is a lot of sentiment for Aylward," said Mr. Burns. "I believe he is recognized by the democratic leaders in Wisconsin as an able and progressive man, clean and strong, and that the majority of them desire to see him nominated. Indeed, so far has sentiment developed that during my stay in Madison there was earnest talk of sending a delegation to solicit his consent to run then and there. That this was not done, I believe, was due to the reticence of Mr. Aylward about the subject."

"However, I am convinced Mr. Aylward will accept. His reserve, I take it, was due to a feeling that he should not encourage any movement unless satisfied the sentiment for him was state wide and undivided. Aylward, I believe, would feel honored to head the state ticket, but he wants to be the choice of the solid democracy before committing himself. He probably comes nearer being the unanimous choice than any other man, and I am satisfied from a chat I had with him that as soon as he is convinced of it he will permit his name to be used."

GEN. STEPHEN D. LEE DIES AT VICKSBURG

VICKSBURG, Miss., May 28.—Gen. Stephen D. Lee, commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans, the surviving general last serving a general of the confederacy, is dead here. Lee had been ill for several days. He was attacked with indigestion, but grew rapidly weaker, passing away early today.

Lee was born in Charleston, S. C., Sept. 22nd, 1833. He was educated at West Point, graduated in 1854. He served as first lieutenant of artillery until the outbreak of the war. His first commission in the Confederate army was as captain, from which he rose to the rank of lieutenant general, and saw much active fighting in the second battle of Bull Run, the Vicksburg campaign, and the battles about Richmond. At Chickasaw Bayou he commanded the army which defeated Sherman. After the war he settled as a planter in Mississippi; he became state senator in 1870; served the state in the United States senate, was a member of the Mississippi constitutional convention in 1890 helped shape the state's revised constitution; was elected commander of the veterans in 1904.

Lee will be succeeded as commander-in-chief by General Clement Evans, an associate justice of the Georgia supreme court.

WIDOW DIDN'T LOVE HIM
ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 28.—Wrongly believing himself to be the man for love of whom Mrs. Grace Jackson, a young widow, attempted suicide yesterday, L. F. Feager, soldier committed suicide today. Mrs. Jackson declared that while she was on friendly terms with Feager he was not the man she loved.

SPEND YOUR MONEY

Where it will bring the most for it—There are many offerings in today's advertisements that will interest you. Here are a few:

\$2.00 Hat free with a purchase of a suit of clothes at \$12.50 or over.

65c Dress Goods at 49c.

15c Towels at 9c.

\$1.50 Shirt Waists at 98c.

19c Madras Cloth at 10c.

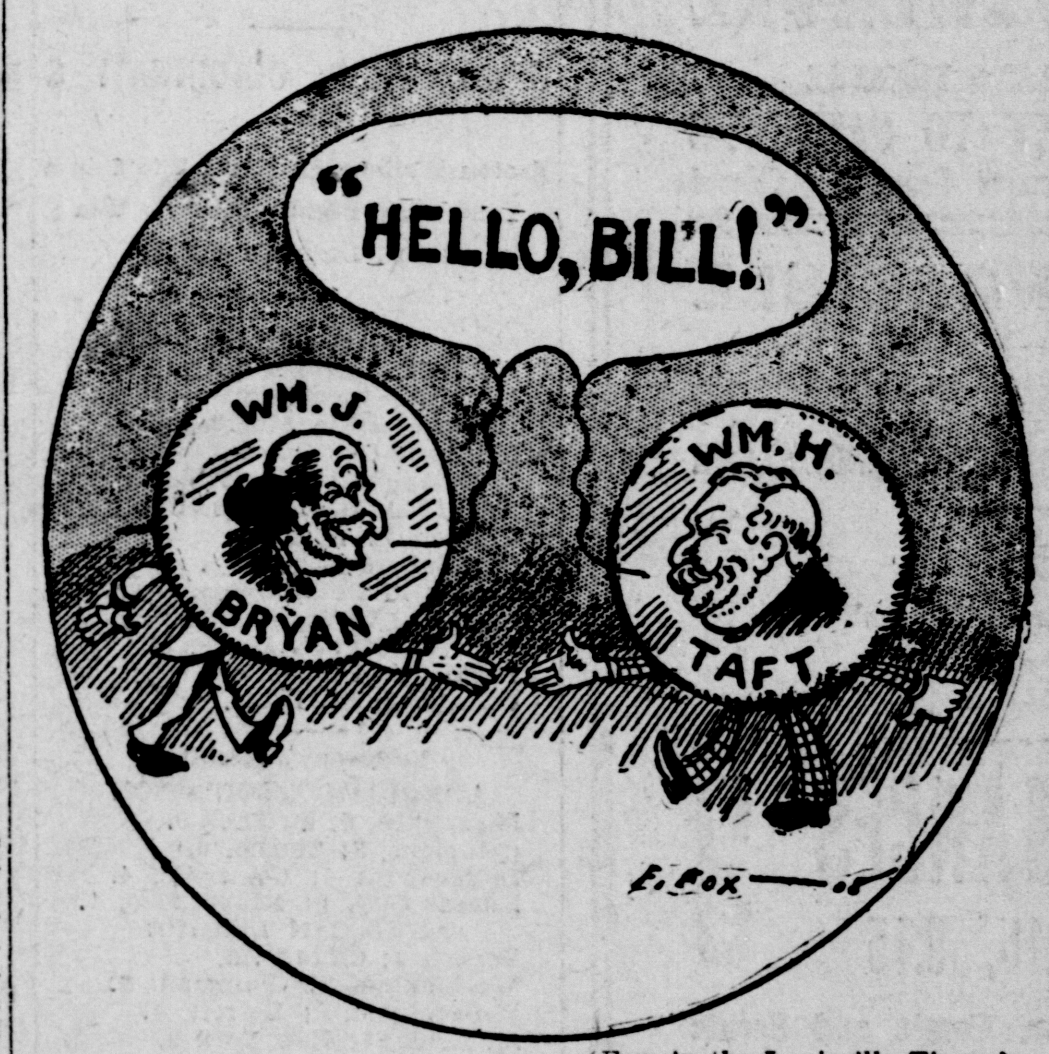
9x12 Japanese Mat Rugs \$3.98

8 day Mantel Clocks \$2.90.

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"WHEN THE CAMPAIGN BUTTONS MEET"



"RACE SUICIDE" IS MINISTER'S PACT

AGREED WITH FIANCEE AND TOLD COURT SO

POSTMISTRESS OPENED MAIL

Case Before U. S. Commissioner Reveals Secret Marriage—Girls Congratulate Pastor

CHICAGO, May 28.—A series of sensations were furnished today in a hearing before United States Commissioner Foote of the case of Rev. Charles E. Havenor, of Grays Lake, Ill., who accuses Miss Anna Whitmore, postmistress there, of opening letters from his fiancée, Miss Mary Calvin, of Fort Wayne, Ind. The first sensation was furnished by the minister himself when he declared on the stand that he and Miss Calvin had been quietly married May 19th. The other sensation was the revelation by the minister of a "race suicide" pact between himself and fiancée several months ago. Havenor was given a grueling examination. He told of repeated reports that came to him involving the reputations of prominent persons in the village. The attorney for defense asked if he hadn't admitted being a liar, and wasn't now in fact a liar. The minister leaped out of the witness chair as he shouted, "No," and invited the attorney to "argue the matter with him somewhere else."

The minister admitted he had written his fiancée and proposed the "race suicide" pact. He said he did so from a bible standpoint. The bible said, he declared, it is a sin to bring children into the world who couldn't be properly cared for. Besides, his fiancée wanted to study music. He said the letters on this subject were what led him to make the charges against the postmistress, as no one but the person who opened the letters could have known of the agreement.

A score of young women crowded around and congratulated Rev. Havenor when he left the stand. Mrs. Havenor, when called, corroborated the minister's testimony. She said she had destroyed her letters from the minister but testified that they discussed the future of herself and of him.

SAYS THINGS LOOK GOOD FOR TAFT

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—The president held a conference today with A. I. Vorys, of Columbus, and Frank Hitchcock, Secretary Taft's campaign manager. Secretary Vorys said he would leave for Columbus and Chicago tomorrow to open headquarters. Vorys said the outlook for Taft's nomination was satisfactory and expressed himself as satisfied with the selection of John R. Maller as secretary of the convention. "Maller is for Taft," said Vorys, "in spite of all rumors to the contrary." He said the nominating speaker had not been selected, and denied Senator Dolliver had been invited to perform the service.

G. O. P. HAS MANY CONTESTS

CHICAGO, May 28.—The seats of about one-fifth of the delegates to the republican national convention will be contested. The time limit for mailing notices of the contest expired at midnight and at noon Secretary Dover had contests involving 174 seats.

PULP AND PAPER COMMITTEE SAYS TARIFF IS RIGHT

REPUBLICAN MEMBERS UNFAVORABLE TO REVISION

THE DEMOCRATS DISSENT

FILE REPORT IN WHICH THEY URGE STEVENS BILL

THE ACTION WAS EXPECTED

Committee Known to Be Made Up of Stand-patters Who Would Hold Up All Action

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 21.—"As the present price of paper would not to any considerable degree be immediately affected by a repeal of the tariff, and as the passage of the Stevens bill in its present form might spell ruin to the paper industry and result in ruinously high prices for paper in the near future, your committee believes in the part of wisdom, before making recommendations for positive legislation, to await until its investigation has been completed (next session) and thoroughly digested."—Report of the republican members of the print paper committee.

"We find that the revenues derived from import duties on wood pulp and printing paper are so small, and the benefits to be obtained from the abolition of those duties are so considerable, that we urge the placing of wood pulp and printing paper on the free list; we believe relief from existing conditions can be fully and promptly secured only by the immediate consideration and passage of the Stevens bill."—Report of the democratic members of the print paper committee.

TEDDY SIGNS COAL RESERVE BILL

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—President Roosevelt today signed the bill for the encouragement and development of coal deposits in Alaska, and made public a letter written to him on the subject by Secretary Garfield. The bill is supposed to protect coal deposits in the territory from the monopolists. It is further expected to guarantee a sufficient supply of coal for the use of the navy for generations to come. Garfield's letter declared emphatically in favor of the bill and advised the president to approve it.

Weather and Water



Coolest in La Crosse, 58; warmest, 78; wind, 4 miles; rainfall, .66 inch. Extremes in United States: Modena, 32; Washington, 99. The river will continue to rise. Stage of water, 9.2; a rise of .4 of a foot.

Forecasts today: Wisconsin—Showers and thunderstorms tonight and Friday; cooler Friday and in west portion tonight. Minnesota—Partly cloudy and cooler tonight with showers in east portion; Friday fair. Iowa—Showers and thunderstorms and cooler tonight; Friday partly cloudy with cooler in east portion.

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THE SPORT WORLD

NEW YORK DEFEATS THE CHAMPIONS

WILTSE IN FINE FORM LETS
CUBS DOWN WITHOUT A RUN

BROOKLYN 2; CINCINNATI 8

Boston Wallops Pittsburg 5 to 2 in a
Ten-inning Fight—Brewers Win
From Lennon's Saints

Games Today

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Milwaukee, 6; St. Paul, 5.
Kansas City in Minneapolis.
Toledo in Columbus.

Indianapolis in Louisville.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago in Boston.

St. Louis in New York.

Detroit in Philadelphia.

Cleveland in Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Boston in Pittsburg.

Chicago in St. Louis.

Yesterday's Results

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Milwaukee, 6; St. Paul, 5.
Columbus, 3; Toledo, 0.
Indianapolis, 4; Louisville, 4.
Kansas City, 6; Minneapolis, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston, 3; Chicago, 2.

Washington, 3; Cleveland, 2.

Philadelphia, 5; Detroit, 4.

St. Louis, 7; New York, 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York, 1; Chicago, 0.

Boston, 5; Pittsburg, 2.

Cincinnati, 8; Brooklyn, 2.

St. Louis-Philadelphia, rain.

Club Standings

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	25	12	.676
Toledo	19	14	.576
Louisville	22	17	.565
Columbus	20	17	.541
Milwaukee	19	17	.528
Kansas City	15	20	.429
Minneapolis	15	21	.417
St. Paul	9	26	.257
NATIONAL LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	18	13	.581
Cleveland	18	14	.562
Philadelphia	19	16	.543
Detroit	16	15	.516
St. Louis	17	17	.500
Chicago	15	16	.484
Boston	14	20	.412
Washington	13	19	.407
NATIONAL LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	19	11	.633
Cincinnati	17	14	.549
Pittsburg	15	13	.538
Philadelphia	16	14	.533
New York	17	16	.515
Boston	16	18	.471
St. Louis	14	21	.400
Brooklyn	13	20	.394

In a pitchers' battle between Pfeister and Wiltse yesterday the latter won for New York, letting the Cubs down with but three hits. In ten innings Boston defeated Pittsburg by the score of 5 to 2. Brooklyn fell before the Cincinnati Reds by the score of 8 to 2. Heavy hitting on the part of the Reds won the game.

In the American league Boston touched up the White Sox for the game yesterday by the score of 3 to 2. The St. Louis Browns defeated New York Jennings' champs fell before Philadelphia and Washington won from Cleveland.

With five pitchers used in the game the Brewers defeated Lennon's team yesterday by the score of 6 to 5. Columbus defeated Toledo, Indianapolis won from Louisville and Kansas City touched up the Millers by the score of 7 to 1.

National League Games

At Chicago	R	H	E
New York	000000100	1	5
Chicago	000000000	0	5
Batteries—Wiltse and Needham; Pfeister, Kling and Fraser.			
At Pittsburg	R	H	E
Boston	001000100	5	9
Pittsburg	000002000	2	9
Batteries—Flaherty and Bowerman; Young, Leever and Gibson.			
At Cincinnati	R	H	E
Brooklyn	010001000	2	6
Cincinnati	100100000	8	2
Batteries—Wilhelm, McIntyre and Bergen; Ewing and Schiel.			
American League Games	R	H	E
At Philadelphia	0003000	4	8
Detroit	010000022	5	7
Batteries—Bullen and Payne; Kraus and Powers.			
At Boston	R	H	E
Chicago	000000200	2	6
Boston	00012000	3	5
Batteries—Smith and Sullivan; Winter and Criger.			
At New York	R	H	E
St. Louis	010001122	7	7
New York	000100100	2	6
Batteries—Howell and Spencer; Chesbro, Lake and Kleinow.			
At Washington	R	H	E
Cleveland	100100000	2	4
Washington	010000002	3	8
Batteries—Bergner and Bemis; Hughes and Street.			
American Association Games	R	H	E
At St. Paul	000210200	5	9
Milwaukee	120002000	6	11
Batteries—Leroy, Farris, Gehring and Meyers; Dougherty, Curtis and Beville.			
At Columbus	R	H	E
Columbus	100101000	3	4
Toledo	000000000	0	3
Batteries—Geyer and James; Steen and Wakefield.			
At Louisville	R	H	E
Louisville	301000000	4	10
Indianapolis	300411000	9	11

CHAMPIONSHIP FORM WINS THE SECOND

FLYNN IN THE BOX FOR LA
CROSSE ALLOWS BUT 2 HITS

BAILLIES IN THE BOX TODAY

Seven Hits, Eight Stolen Bases and
Eight Bases on Balls Gives
Pinks the Victory

Games Today

Rockford in Oshkosh.
Freeport in Fond du Lac.
Madison in Wausau.
La Crosse in Green Bay.

Yesterday's Results.

Madison, 3; Wausau, 2.
La Crosse, 7; Green Bay, 1.
Freeport, 7; Fond du Lac, 5.
Oshkosh, 5; Rockford, 0.

Club Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
La Crosse	12	5	.706
Wausau	8	7	.533
Madison	8	7	.533
Freeport	8	8	.500
Oshkosh	7	7	.500
Green Bay	7	8	.467
Fond du Lac	7	9	.438
Rockford	4	10	.286

GREEN BAY, Wis., May 28.—(Special.)—"Duke" Flynn was the hero of yesterday's game against the leaders. He was in fine form allowing but two safe hits and but an error by Heppel would have let the locals down without a run. His control was almost perfect and with the exception of one error the visitors played an excellent fielding game, and played in real championship form.

Miller and Francis were in the box for the locals and allowed seven hits including a three bagger and a double and letting eight men take first base on balls. The visitors started out strong in the first inning with Tracey and Duchien on bases, Bues pounded out a three bagger scoring both Tracey and Duchien. After taking a rest in the second inning they again started their pounding and in the next three innings brought the score up to 7. The locals made their only run in the eighth inning when Heppel, in the left garden, missed a difficult hit by Monroe and let Grodnick come in for the only tally in the game. Stewart, a new catcher from the Rockford team, allowed eight men to steal bases.

Both managers are confident of winning the last of the series today.

The score: Green Bay, AB. R. H. P. A. E. Corrigan, rf. 0 0 0 0 0 0 Taylor, 3b. 0 0 0 0 0 0 Olsen, cf. 0 0 0 0 0 0 Dolan, lb. 0 1 1 0 0 0 Grodnick, 2b. 1 0 3 4 2 Monroe, lf. 2 1 1 0 1 Wallace, ss. 0 0 0 0 0 Stewart, c. 0 0 0 0 0 Miller, p. 1 0 0 0 3 Francis, p. 2 0 0 0 2

Totals 27 1 2 27 10 3
La Crosse. AB. R. H. P. A. E. Graves, cf. 0 0 4 0 0 0 Tracey, lb. 2 1 12 0 0 Duchien, rf. 2 0 3 1 0 Becker, ss. 1 1 1 4 0 Bues, 3b. 4 1 2 13 0 Bond, 2b. 4 1 2 12 0 Heppel, lf. 0 0 2 0 1 Killian, c. 0 1 3 0 0 Flynn, p. 4 0 0 0 4
Totals 27 7 27 14 1

Score by Innings:
La Crosse 203 110 000—7
Green Bay 000 000 010—1
Summary: Three base hit—Bues. Two base hit—Killian. Base on balls—Off Miller, 4; off Francis, 4; off Flynn, 1. Left on bases—Green Bay, 2; La Crosse, 9. Struck out—By Miller, 3; by Francis, 4; by Flynn, 1. Double play—Duchien to Tracey. Sacrifice hits—La Crosse, 1; Green Bay, 2. Stolen bases—Graves, 2; Tracey, 2; Duchien, 2; Becker, 1; Bond, 1. Passed ball—Stewart. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—Flynn.

Oshkosh, 5; Rockford, 0.
OSHKOSH, Wis., May 28.—Oshkosh shut out Rockford yesterday through the effective pitching of Converse. The batting of Saveland was a feature. Score:
Oshkosh, AB. R. H. P. A. E. O'Leary, 3b. 0 2 2 0 0 Taylor, ss. 0 0 2 0 0 Shugart, 2b. 0 0 3 2 0 Meyers, rf. 0 1 1 0 0 Hutton, lb. 0 1 9 1 0 Boland, cf. 0 1 3 1 0 Johnson, lf. 0 1 0 0 0 Kempf, c. 0 0 5 2 0 Chambers, p. 0 0 0 3 0
Totals 0 5 24 11 0

Batteries—Halla, Duham and Pietz; Slagle and Leahy.
At Minneapolis. R. H. E. Minneapolis 000100000—1 6 6
Kansas City 024000010—7 5 0
Batteries—Buslow, Biersdorfer, Wilson and Fiene; Swann and Sullivan.

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Oshkosh.	R	H	P	A	E
Bauer, rf.	0	4	0	0	0
Curtis, cf.	1	0	4	0	0
Johnson, lf.	2	3	0	0	0
Rainey, lb.	1	10	2	0	0
Warren, c.	1	2	3	0	0
Saveland, 3b.	1	3	0	0	0
Greggion, 2b.	0	1	2	1	0
Groh, ss.	0	0	1	0	0
Converse, p.	0	1	3	0	0
Totals	5	10	27	10	1

Fond du Lac, Wis., May 28.—	R	H	P	A	E
Fond du Lac played a loose game and lost to Freeport, 7 to 5. The attendance was large. Score:					
Fond du Lac.	R	H	P	A	E
Kroy, cf.	1	0	0	0	1
Lynch, ss.	1	0	3	2	0
Watson, c.	2	5	3	1	0
Schaub, lf.	1	3	1	1	0
Zackert, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
McDonald, lb.	1	2	7	3	1
Vogt, 2b.	1	4	0	3	0
O'Laughlin, lb.	0	10	0	5	0
Parish, p.	0	0	0	4	0
Cook, p.	0	0	0	1	0
*Crangle	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	11	27	18	8

Freeport—	R	H	P	A	E
Safford, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Ireland, lf.	2	1	3	0	0
Fiske, ss.	2	3	0	1	0
Barlow, cf.	1	1	0	0	0
Harrod, 3b.	0	1	12	1	0
Schoonhoven, 2b.	2	1	1	3	0
Stark, c.	0	1	5	2	0
Rouse, p.	0	1	0	0	0
Cummings, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Scott, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	8	26	11	1

*Batted for Parish in the seventh.
Fond du Lac 011 000 120—5
Freeport 013 011 100—7
Summary—Hit batsmen—By Parish, 1; by Zook, 2; by Rouse, 1. Bases on balls—By Parish, 3; by Rouse, 3; by Cummings, 3; by Scott, 2. Struck out—By Parish, 3; by Cummings, 3; by Scott, 3. Wild pitches—Rouse, 2. Two-base hits—Vogt, Watson, Stark. Double play—Zackert to Watson. Passed ball—Stark. Sacrifice hits—Lynch, O'Laughlin, Ireland, Disch, Harrod. Stolen bases—Schaub, McDonald, Vogt, 2, O'Laughlin, Fiske, Schoonhoven. Umpire—Lippert. Time—2:35.

Wausau—	R	H	P	A	E
Miller, cf.	1	1	0	0	0
Fox, 2b.	1	2	1	2	0
McAuley, 3b.	0	2	2	4	0
Erickson, c.	0	0	11	1	0
Brady, lb.	0	1	11	0	0
Gardner, ss.	0	0	2	2	0
Lang, rf.	0	0	0	0	0
Moore, lf.	0	1	0	0	0
Bartos, p.	0	0	0	3	2
Totals	2	7	20	12	2

Primeval Roads Still Exist—

Some of them in the state of Wisconsin.

We have a line of cars selected with special reference to the hard road conditions of this state.

We want you to know how good a car we can sell you and therefore ask an opportunity to demonstrate our cars under the most trying conditions possible.

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BUICK,
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DR. WATTERSON

THE PAINLESS DENTIST
115 South Fourth Street, La Crosse

AD WOLGAST TRIMS CLEVER BRITISHER

FOND DU LAC, Wis., May 28.—Ad Wolgast, the Milwaukee featherweight, was given a decision over Jeff O'Connell of England in a fast and well fought bout before the Fond du Lac Athletic club at Armory E Tuesday night. Wolgast had a shade in nearly every round, but it was only in the sixth that he was able to find O'Connell with much success. In this round Jeff was rushed to his corner and received several jabs and hard swings to the head, but succeeded in getting away in good condition, apparently none the worse from the jolts. Wolgast forced the fighting in nearly every round, but O'Connell kept himself well covered and Ad was unable to inflict much punishment.

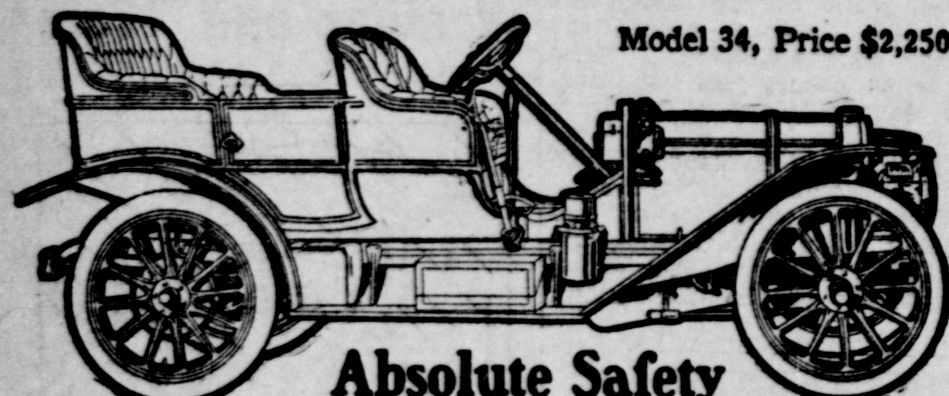
When a woman gets up a picnic she spends one-third of her time the day before at the telephone, and the other two-thirds looking at the sky.

VANDERBILT CUP RACE IN OCTOBER

NEW YORK, May 28.—That there will be an automobile race for the Vanderbilt cup held this year was authoritatively announced here. While official announcement was lacking as to detail, it may safely be said that the race will be held on Long Island, probably on the Long Island motor parkway. A Saturday in the latter half of October will be selected for the race.

INDIANA FAILS TO PUT IN APPEARANCE

NOTRE DAME, Ind., May 28.—Indiana failed to show up for the game scheduled between the state team and Notre Dame. The locals were on the field when it was rumored that Indiana was playing Culver. Other than this rumor no reason has been given for the non-appearance of the Indiana players. Another game is scheduled with them.



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Our April Daily Average was **6,278**

THE LA CROSSE TRIBUNE.
Sworn Detailed Circulation for the Month of April, 1903.

1-Wed	6,283	16-Thurs	6,353
2-Thurs	6,273	17-Fri	6,356
3-Fri	6,317	18-Sat	6,370
4-Sat	6,336	19-Sunday	
5-Sunday		20-Mon	6,265
6-Mon	6,263	21-Tues	6,250
7-Tues	6,256	22-Wed	6,210
8-Wed	6,226	23-Thurs	6,245
9-Thurs	6,218	24-Fri	6,215
10-Fri	6,217	25-Sat	6,263
11-Sat	6,235	26-Sunday	
12-Sunday		27-Mon	6,267
13-Mon	6,370	28-Tues	6,274
14-Tues	6,368	29-Wed	6,227
15-Wed	6,330	30-Thurs	6,225

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I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of April, 1903, was as above stated.

FRANK H. BURGESS.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirtieth day of April, 1903.
A. E. BLECKMAN,
Notary Public.

LA CROSSE'S "GOOD LUCK."

As a barometer of business conditions the advertising columns of the newspapers are a fairly reliable weather vane. Wherever there is business, there are newspapers, and wherever there is business activity, it is reflected at once in advertisements. Having this barometer to guide him, the publisher becomes a sage in judging the business situation, and perhaps no general summary of the business status has been published more dependable than that which the Fourth Estate, a leading journal for publishers, has gathered from extensive inquiries:

"Some weeks ago The Fourth Estate called attention editorially to the optimism prevailing in the West as contrasted with the pessimistic feeling then prevailing in the East. In interviews with a number of New York advertising agencies our view of the situation was unanimously endorsed, but it was shown that a better undertone was apparent here.

"Since then we have obtained the opinions on the subject of publishers and others in nearly all parts of the country, with the gratifying result indicated in another part of this issue.

"Advices from Chicago show that advertising is increasing there, and in St. Paul and the Northwest generally business is increasing daily.

"Three Washington authorities join in saying that affairs there are satisfactory.

"In Topeka and the rest of Kansas business never was so satisfactory.

"The South, we are assured, has

SPOTLIGHTS

"The Ham Tree."
Alexander Hambletonian J. McIntyre
Henry Jones T. K. Heath
Sherlock Baffles Frank O'Brien
Ernest Everhart Phil W. Smith
Lord Spotsch Arthur Barry
Lawrence Nickelbacker
Mrs. Nickelbacker Jeanne Towler
Tessie Nickelbacker
Desmonda Belle Gold
Jimpsey Stephen J. Paul
Ponsby Otto T. Johnson
Molly Margaret Morris
Dolly Jones Harriet Rehfield
Bashful Nan Jennie Meyer
Nancy Brown Frances Ramey
Jane Mea Lackey
Winsome Kitty Daisy Lyle
Daisy Jane Lovell
Lola Corinne Lincoln
Flo Felicitas Hanbiel
Nellie McGowan Eleanor Dobson
Lillie Eva Stuart
Sleepy Kate Flo Claywood
(By Arthur A. Greene)

A great many people in this town have kept their calendars marked up against the coming of that immitable team of blackface comedians, McIntyre and Heath, and their bountiful helping of musical comedy, "The Ham Tree." Last year it came for the first time and the theater-going element went slightly daffy about the show. It was therefore but perfectly natural that on last night, which marked the beginning of a return engagement, the crowd could hardly wait until the doors of the Heilig opened. It was a typical first night audience, and I'm quite sure there were only two empty seats in the house after the first curtain rang up.

"The Ham Tree" is positively unique. It is one stage success that has been followed by no spurious imitations, because, forsooth, there are only two of them—count 'em, two—men on the stage like McIntyre and Heath, partners for 30-odd years. They have not changed their lines materially since the time of their debut, if I'm correctly informed. I recall that they flourished more years ago than I care to recall. They have always been distinct, the best exponents of that variety of entertainment supplied by white men with their faces done up in burnt cork. They told their old jokes last night in the same old way, and everybody from the gallery to the orchestra laughed immoderately, just as they did that fall when Cleveland beat Blaine. Their peculiar charm is that they get their best effects from jokes and stories which would be dreary as a corner's inquest if they came from any one else. For instance, that one about the bridge and the bit.

As last season's great eminent artists are surrounded by an excellent New York company, equal, with one exception, to that fine organization which distinguished the show last year. Frederick Bowers, the composer and hip-hurrah tenor robusto, is not in evidence, and his successor, Philip W. Smith, lacks a good deal of being his equal. Almost all the others, down to and including the members of the chorus, were here last time and have in no way deteriorated. If anything, the performance last night was an improvement, with the one exception noted. That wonderful chorus is still wonderful, the sweep and swing of things is just as exhilarating, the principals sustain their parts after their wonted manner, and a fine entertainment is the result.

"The Ham Tree" is one of those attractions which we occasionally get which absolutely commands attention. It has no purpose beyond amusing an audience to the full limit for two hours and a half, but in this instance it performs its mission. The dialogue of the stars and the work of the chorus alone are sufficient to make the offering one of the most signal successes in its line, while in addition there are a half-dozen mighty interesting members of the supporting company, not to mention Belle Gold, who, with the other good ones, made the town sit up and look about last year. This advice is sound. Go and see "The Ham Tree." Unless you are hopelessly liverish you will be as much as 99 per cent perfectly delighted. There will be repeated performances tonight, tomorrow night and a Wednesday matinee.—Portland Oregonian.

McIntyre and Heath in Klaw & Erlanger's "The Ham Tree" are announced for Thursday, June 4, at the La Crosse theater.

Summer Plays.

The Van Dyke & Eaton company, a repertoire attraction worthy of more than ordinary consideration, will open a summer season beginning next Sunday matinee. This season their repertoire is comprised entirely of new plays, many of which have enjoyed metropolitan success, and the management has spared no effort to duplicate in scenic equipment and dramatic worth the original productions.

Miss Ollie Eaton is an actress endowed with a sweet voice, charming personality and wonderful histrionic ability. She appears in the principal roles, and is supported by a large and evenly balanced company. In conjunction with the nightly dramatic offerings, vaudeville features of rare interest will be presented between acts. Edmond C. Sprague, character songs and monologues, and Willard Foster, illustrated songs.

The usual ladies' free tickets will be given with each 20-cent ticket purchased for Monday night.

IRELAND'S RAILWAYS

(Dublin Leader.)
One gentleman connected with an Irish industry said to us: "If I were starting Irish manufacture, I would start—in Liverpool." This paradox is, indeed, a brilliant criticism of our railways as industry killers. From Liverpool you could deliver all round Ireland at the various ports, but the unfortunate Irish manufacturer who has to send his stuff by rail is badly handicapped.

FASHION HINTS

By MAY MANTON



5999 Child's One-Piece Dress, 2 to 6 years.

One-piece frocks are exceedingly fashionable just now and are really very pretty for playtime and all occasions of a similar sort. This one is appropriate for linen, for chambray, for percale, for gingham and also for the thinner lawns of real hot weather, while it can be trimmed with bands of contrasting material or with one of the ready made bandings as liked. It hangs in long, graceful folds and the box plaits over the shoulders provide becoming fullness. In the illustration white French linen is banded with rose color making an exceedingly attractive yet durable frock.

The dress is made in one piece. It is laid in box plaits at the fronts and there is an opening cut at the center back where the closing is made invisibly. There are box plaits laid in the sleeve portions also, but the only seams are those at the underarms.

The quantity of material required for the medium size (4 years) is 2 1/2 yards 24, 1 1/2 yards 32 or 44 inches, wide, with 3/4 yard of contrasting material 3 1/2 inches wide for the trimming.

The pattern 5999 is cut in sizes for children of 2, 4 and 6 years of age and will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper on receipt of ten cents. (If in haste send an additional two-cent stamp for letter postage which insures more prompt delivery.)

DAFFODILS

(London Times.)

The lovely spot is known to tradition where Wordsworth saw his daffodils dancing by the lake; and though we have no such clue to the spot where Shakespeare saw them "take the winds of March with beauty," we can well picture it on one of his comely Warwickshire hillsides, where the dullness of the Midland landscape begins to sink into the charm of the west.

Too Well Trained

A landlord in the highlands of Scotland had a "crofter" tenant, who paid him 10 shillings a year as rent for the little farm. At the end of the second year the tenant came to the landlord and said that he was not able to pay more than 5 shillings a year, as crops had been poor. The landlord agreed to this.

At the end of the third year the tenant appeared before the landlord again and complained that things were going so poorly with him that he was not able to pay any rent. The landlord agreed to let him remain rent free. At the end of the fourth year the tenant once more appeared before the landlord and said:

"Colonel, if you don't build me a barn I'll have to move."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Pain Weakens

Headache, rheumatism, neuralgia, or pains of any nature weaken the system—they are a strain upon the nerves. Almost instant relief can be obtained by taking Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and without any bad after-effects. Take one on first indication of an attack—it will ward it off. They are a pleasant little tablet, sold by druggists everywhere, 25 doses 25 cents; never sold in bulk.

"I was subject to constant headaches for a period of four years. At times I was almost unfitted for the work in which I was engaged, and at station agent. Through the advice of a friend I tried Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and the result has been that I have entirely eradicated my system of those continuous headaches that follow a continual mental strain. They have done for me all that I claimed for them."

O. L. RUSSELL, Agent, C. & N. W. Ry., Battle Creek, Ia.
"I have used Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills for a year now for neuralgia and find there is nothing like them. They surely have been a blessing to me."
MRS. M. J. HAMILTON, Upper Alton, Ill.
Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and we authorize him to return the price of first package (only) if it fails to benefit you.
Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

THE PAUPER OF PARK LANE

By William Le Queux

Who could be the culprit whom Sir Charles had told him was his "friend." He had known the Doctor well, but not intimately as Max Barclay had done. Curious that Max had told him nothing concerning that tragic incident which had caused the Serbian statesman and patriot to turn his back upon his beloved country and live in studious seclusion in England. Max had told him many things, but had never mentioned that subject.

Was Max Barclay the "friend" to whom Sir Charles had referred. Was it really possible? He held his half-smoked cigar and wondering. It was a strange suspicion. Of late, ever since Max had charged him with having been present at Cromwell Road on the night of the disappearance, he had somehow held aloof from the man to whom Marion was so devoted.

And now? Even she had disappeared. What could it mean? Did Max Barclay really know how and why Marion had disappeared, and for motives of his own was making a mystery of it?

The message from Barclay worried him. Marion was missing. Why had she left Cunningham's? She must have left of her own accord, he felt confident. She would never be discharged. Sam Statham would never, for a moment, allow that.

A tall man with a fair, pointed beard approached him, raised his hat, and gripped his hand. It was Drukovich, the director of the National Theatre, and a friend of his. The new-comer seated himself at the table, and the waiter brought a tiny glass of "silvovitz," or plum gin, that liquor so dear to the Serbian palate. Drukovich was one of the best-known and most popular men in Belgrade; a thorough-going cosmopolitan, and a man of the world. Sometimes he went to London, and whenever there Charlie entertained him at his club, or they went to the theatre and supped at the Savoy.

As they chatted, Rolfe explaining that he was in Serbia upon financial matters as usual, Drukovich nodded to the officers and civilians whom he knew, many of them famous for the part they had played in the recent coup d'etat. Some of them, indeed, wore the white-enamelled cross, which decoration marked them as partisans of the dynasty of the Karaageorgs. And meanwhile the orchestra were playing the popular waltz from "The Merry Widow," the air haunting everybody and everyone.

That night there was a court ball at the Palace, and the forthcoming event was upon everyone's lips. There was seldom any entertainment at the Xir Konak, for his Majesty led a very quiet life, the almost ascetic life of a soldier—riding out at dawn, attending to duties of state during the day, and retiring early. Perhaps the most maligned man in all Europe, King Peter of Serbia was, nevertheless, known to those intimate around the throne to be a most conscientious ruler, fully aware of all his responsibility and striving ever to pacify all the political factions, sustaining the prestige of Serbia abroad, and ameliorating the condition of his people at home.

The truth regarding King Peter had never been written. Of libels and vile calumnies there had been volumes, but no journalist had ever dared to put into print the real facts of King Peter's innocence of any connivance at the dastardly murder of Alexander and Draga.

Those who knew the real facts admired King Peter as a man and fearless patriot, but those who gathered their information from sensational newspapers and scurrilous books emanating from Austria believed every lie that the back-stairs scribes chose to write.

Drukovich was one of the men who knew the truth, and many a time he had explained them to his friend, who in turn, had told old Sam Statham, the hard-headed misanthrope, whose prejudices were so strong, and yet the chords of whose heart-strings were so readily touched.

Sam had lent money to Serbia—huge sums. And why? Because he knew his Majesty personally, and had heard from his own lips the story of his tragic difficulties and his high aspirations.

Once, indeed, in that silent study in Park Lane he had been reading a confidential report from Belgrade, predicting a black outlook, when he turned to his secretary and said:

"Rolfe. There will be trouble in Serbia. But even though I may lose the million sterling I have loaned it will not trouble me. I have to assist an honest man who is at the same time a philanthropist and a king."

Charlie Rolfe recollected these words at that moment as he sat amid the noise and chatter of the safe, where, above every other sound, rose the sweet, tuneful strains of the waltz that had within the past few weeks gripped all Europe.

There was something bizarre, something incongruous with it all. He was thinking of his lost love—his sweet-faced Maud with the unruly wisp of hair straying across her white brow.

Where was she? Aye, where was she? CHAPTER XLII. Advances a Theory.

Next day, and the next, Charlie called upon the British Minister, but could obtain no further information.

Sir Charles had failed to establish his suspicion, and therefore declined to say anything further.

Rolfe, on his part, had learned from Drukovich the full details of the latter's attempt upon the Doctor's life at Topschieder, and how the little child had been blown to atoms. The escape of Petrovitch had been little short of miraculous, and it was now whispered that the conspiracy

Save money—Get husky—Eat more bread.

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MARVEL BREAD is rich in gluten and all life-giving qualities.

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had no political significance, but an act of private vengeance. Whatever its motive might have been, it had the desired effect of preventing the Doctor from returning to Serbia.

In various quarters Rolfe made diligent inquiry, and established without a doubt that Maud Petrovitch had within the past ten days or so been in Belgrade.

A young officer of the King's guard, a Lieutenant Yankovitch, had seen her in the Zar Duschanova Ullza. He described her as wearing a white serge gown and a big black hat. She was walking with a short, elderly, grey-haired woman, undoubtedly a foreigner—English or American. He was marching with his company, or would have stopped and spoken to her.

Another person discovered by Drukovich was a domestic who had once been in the Doctor's service. She declared that early one morning when going from her home to the house in the Krunka where she was now employed, she met her young mistress Maud with the same elderly woman—a woman rather shabbily dressed. The pair were passing the Russian Legation, and she stopped and spoke.

The young lady had told her that she was only on a flying visit to Belgrade, and that she was leaving again on the morrow. To the servant's inquiries regarding the Doctor his daughter was silent, as though she did not wish to mention her father.

According to the servant's description Mademoiselle Maud looked very wan and pale, as though she had passed many sleepless nights full of anxiety and dread.

The Prime Minister's wife had no recollection of telling her husband about meeting the Doctor's daughter. Somebody else must have mentioned it to the grey-bearded statesman, who, full of the cares of office, had forgotten who it had been.

A third person who had seen Maud, however, was one of the agents of secret police on duty at the railway station. It was this man's work to watch arriving passengers, and detail agents to watch any suspected to be foreign spies. According to his report, made to the chief of police, Mademoiselle Petrovitch arrived in Belgrade late one night with an elderly Englishwoman and a tall, thin man, probably a German. They hired a cab and drove out to an address near the Botanical Gardens, on the opposite side of the city. Recognizing who she was, he did not instruct an agent to follow her. The two ladies returned to the railway station four days later and left again

by the Orient express for Budapest. The officials of the international express, in passing through Serbia, are compelled to furnish to the secret police the names and nationalities of all passengers travelling. When the train arrives in Belgrade the commissario is always handed the list, which is filed for reference. Upon the list on that particular day was shown the names of Mademoiselle Maud Pavlovitch, of Belgrade, and Mrs. Wood, of London.

The girl had only slightly disguised her name.

(To be Continued.)

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

Fruit of the Tree of Knowledge
A Washington man, while visiting a friend's place in Virginia, became much interested in his experiments in fruit culture.

One day the visitor was making the rounds of the place, being in charge of the friend's young daughter of 10, who acted as guide.

"This tree seems to be loaded with apples," observed the Washingtonian, indicating a particularly fine specimen.

"Yes, sir," assented the little girl; "father says this is a good year for apples."

"I am glad to hear that," said the visitor. "Are all your trees as full of apples as this one?"

"No, sir," explained the girl, "only the apple trees."—Harper's Weekly.

A Wise One
"That author keeps his identity closely concealed."

"Yes, until I read his books I thought it was due to modesty."

"Isn't it?"

"No," discretion.—The Sacred Heart Review.

Quite Natural
Murray Hill—Jack Swift is making ducks and drakes of his fortune. Westend—Yes, and a goose of himself.—Town Topics.

I always look the other way
When ladies cross a muddy street, For even the most modest dame Will raise her dress above two feet.—Town Topics.

Better Yet
"Can she keep a secret?"
"No, but she can keep a cook, and that's something to brag about."—Philadelphia Inquirer.



DON'T ASK

your friend, THE GROCER after this week, for that sample of

INDIAN CORN FLAKES

---they'll all be gone. But he still has big packages---and they cost 10 cents.

Report of the Financial Condition of the BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK

Located at La Crosse, state of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 14th day of May, 1903:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$2,215,953.36
Overdrafts	690.15
U. S. bonds	400,000.00
Other bonds	144,461.02
Banking house and fixtures	70,000.00
5 per cent redemption fund	20,000.00
Cash	235,707.44
Due from banks	436,862.99
	\$3,623,674.96
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	\$400,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	40,737.65
National bank notes outstanding	365,000.00
Deposits	2,616,887.21
	\$3,523,674.96

THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

Beans vs. Meat

Beans and meat have about the same food value, but not the same cost

Which would you rather serve?

Beans are 23 per cent nitrogenous—84 per cent nutrient. They are Nature's choicest food. If you could serve them once a day, think how much you would save on your meat bills.

Will it not pay you to get the best beans—beans that are always ready—beans that your people will want?

Encourage your folks to eat beans. They are appetizing, hearty, cheap

You who serve home-baked beans don't serve them often, because they are hard to prepare and hard to digest.

Beans, to be digestible, must be factory cooked. Your oven isn't hot enough; you can't break down their fibre.

And beans should be baked in live steam, as ours are. Then they are mealy and nutty and whole.

Van Camp's pork and beans baked with tomato sauce

The beans that we buy cost \$2.10 per bushel. Other beans sell as low as 30 cents.

We spend five times as much to make our tomato sauce as other sauce costs ready-made.

That's why some brands may be cheaper. But the most economical, in the long run, are those that your people like.

Our beans, our tomato sauce and our pork are baked 90 minutes together

Thus we get our delicious blend.

And Van Camp's have a nutty flavor, a sparkling zest, a piquant tang that you can't get in other brands.

Keep a dozen cans in the house—a dozen meals always ready. For you will eat more beans than you think you will, when you once get a taste of Van Camp's.

10, 15 and 20¢ per can.

Van Camp Packing Company, Indianapolis, Ind.

PACKMAN GIVES RUSHFORD CONCERT

Prof. Harry Packman went to Rushford this morning to direct the Choral club tonight. He was accompanied by Otto Zielke, who is to take the tenor part in the concert. Mr. Packman goes to Neo New Albin tomorrow and will join his St. Cecilia quartet, which is engaged for a concert in that town under the auspices of the La Crosse School of Music.

ROOT RIVER HAS REACHED LIMIT

Root river has been raising rapidly during the past few days and this morning had reached the stage where it was impossible for farmers to cross the lower road and get to La Crosse. It is predicted that the high stage has been reached and farmers look for a fast decline in the next forty-eight hours.

BRADFIELD VIEWS MILWAUKEE DEPTS.

Chief Nathan Bradfield returned home last evening from Milwaukee where he attended the graduation exercises at the Milwaukee Medical college. William A. Edwards, a nephew of the chief, was a member of the graduating class and passed with high honors.

NEW TRIBES OF REDMEN FORMED

A new tribe of Redmen will be organized at Trempealeau June 6 and a tribe at Ettrick the 13th. The local degree team of the Winneshik tribe No. 21 has been invited to attend some time after the 13th and assist in the institution work.

GRADUATION GIFTS

We have specially gotten up a very handsome Graduation Spoon, using the High School Colors, also Building, making a very artistic and appropriate graduation gift. A pleasure to show you these spoons.

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The Jeweler.

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JOHN FLYNN POST PREPARES PROGRAM

WILL DECORATE THE GRAVES IN NORTH SIDE CEMETERY

EXERCISES AT FRENCH ISLAND

Morning Will Be Devoted to Decoration Saturday and Afternoon to Lunch and Speeches

The program for Decoration Day of the John Flynn Post No. 77 follows: The veterans leave the corner of Caledonia and Clinton streets for the North Side cemetery at 7:30 and return at 10:00 o'clock to Black river bridge for the memorial service to the sailor soldier dead. The parade then goes to the park on the island where in the afternoon they will have good music and good speeches. All are welcome and conveyances will be in waiting.

After dinner speaking will be in order, the addresses being given by Rev. A. A. Randall and Rev. A. L. Wood.

The North La Crosse band will accompany the parade and the north side school children will participate in a very pretty flag drill for which they have been preparing for some time.

It is expected that a large crowd will turn out to join in the services, which will be held separate from the south side celebration.

WANT SANITARY STALLS IN NO. 2

The committee on grounds and buildings made a trip of inspection to the fire stations yesterday afternoon and looked over the buildings in view of recommending necessary improvements. The committee was greatly impressed with the sanitary stalls in stations Nos. 3 and 4 and at the next meeting of the council will recommend the installing of such stalls in station No. 2 on the North side. Other minor improvements were decided on by the committee.

Nourish away wrinkles, lines and blemishes with Satin skin cream and powder.

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NORTH SIDERS TO BE 1908 HOSTS

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SUNDAY JUNE 14TH CHOSEN

Celebration Will be Held on French Island and Will Include Games, Races and Other Amusements

Sunday, June 14th, has been set for the date of the sixth annual outing of the city employees and already arrangements are under way to make the event excell all previous efforts of the employees of the city.

A committee composed of Messrs. George Young, chairman; Arthur Roberge, Theo. Ritter, N. Murphy and A. Gifford, has been appointed to take charge of the employees working on the south side and those residing there and at the event an invitation was extended by the north side aggregation to have the outing this year left in their hands and they will be the host during the day.

The celebration will be held on French Island and a program is being prepared including baseball games, races and other amusements. Refreshments will be served by the north side crowd.

NORTH SIDERS PICK UP LOGS

The government dredge has commenced work at Onalaska and will work down to the mouth of Black river. A large number of north siders are busy picking up logs that are pulled up by the dredge. The logs are in good condition. They were used as piles for tying booms to in the old logging days.

LARGE NUMBER GREET SANDERS

The mid-week prayer meeting service was held at the Tabernacle Baptist church last evening and 75 people were present to greet their pastor, Rev. Sanders, who has returned to his pulpit after a long absence.

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NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mrs. G. H. Yarrington of Berlin street, who has been seriously ill with pluro-pneumonia, is slowly recovering.

Jerome Felger has returned from a few days' business trip to Minneapolis.

Ingvald Lien of Austin is visiting his parents on the North side for a couple of weeks.

Linwood Widrick has moved into the new house at 1611 Avon street. Dr. Miller is filling up the rooms above Mrs. Allen's tailoring establishment for his office.

Frank Ritter who was formerly employed by the Vote-Berger company, has accepted a position with the La Crosse Rug company.

Officer Yehle is able to don his uniform today and resume his duties as a guardian of the peace.

N. F. Clark of Neenah will be the guest at the home of Mrs. Lampman arriving this evening.

The North Side Boosters will play the Giants on the Summit foundry grounds Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Clinton of Cal-

edonia street will leave soon for an extended trip through the west.

R. Graw of Caledonia street left for Victory to accept a position on the railroad.

Mrs. Susa of Minneapolis is visiting friends on the North side.

Mrs. N. Will, Miss Nellie Whiting and John Whiting will spend Saturday in Hokah.

Miss Oranell Sullivan is seriously ill at her home.

Mrs. P. J. Kelly has returned from a trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Whipple of Avon street is ill with rheumatism.

DRAWING EXHIBIT ON NORTH SIDE

A drawing and manual training exhibit is to be held at the Seventh district school, corner of Kane and Gillette streets Thursday and Friday afternoon, the 28th and 29th of May.

The exhibit is composed of selected work of the pupils from each of the district school and high school. All parents and those interested in this work are urged to be present.

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DOORE CLUB MEETS.

The Doore Club will meet with John Bergaust, 1452 Avon street, Friday evening, May 29. The question for discussion will be whether Bryan or Johnson is the best man for the democratic candidate for the presidency. The speakers for Johnson are J. C. Hohn and E. Stendahl, for Bryan A. O. Black and J. J. Noem.

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HOUSTON, MINN.

The Colored Keystones of Minneapolis defeated the Houston Cardinals here Friday in a well played game by a score of 11 to 6. The game was one of the best ever seen on the local grounds for a long time, each and every one of the Cardinals showing up in fine form. Larson, the high school wonder, pitched great ball, striking out eight of the Keystones, and allowing only six hits. Peacock, at the receiving end of the battery, played gilt-edged ball, and throwing several men out at second. A. McGuire on first base played good ball but not as well as he usually does, being layed up with a sore hand, received in a practice game some time ago. Peterson at second and H. Hanson at short played fine, and accepted several difficult chances. M. McGuire at third base played a star game, playing "all around" any of the Keystones players. He accepted eight or nine difficult chances and picked the bunts right off the bat. Captain Parish in center field, A. Whitmore in left and O. Hanson in the right garden played good ball, and took everything that came their way. Next Sunday the Houston Cardinals take on the famous Caledonia Commercial, but they intend to make them look like a bunch of school kids.

Struck out—By Larson, 8; by Graham, 3. Base on balls—Off Larson, 0; off Graham, 3. Hits—Off Larson, 6; off Graham, 10. Base hits—M. McGuire, 3; Peterson, 1; O. Hanson, 1; O. McGuire, 1; H. Hanson, 1; Larson, 1. Two-base hits—Whitmore, 1; Larson, 1. Passed balls—Peacock, 2; Graham, 6. Umpire—D. Clinton Ryer. Time—1:30. Attendance—1,000.

High School Reception

On the starry evening of Friday a crowd of high school students could be seen wending their way to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, where the Juniors entertained the Seniors to a spread.

In due time the Seniors, namely Mary Sullivan Pauline Nelson, Winifred Chapel, Martha Birkland, Frances Abrahamson, Henry Larson and Clement Schonlau, arrived and were received in a cordial and courteous manner by the Juniors. The evening was spent in playing several games. Several piano solos were given and were well received.

An elegant lunch was served, to which all did justice.

When the clock tolled the hour of twelve the happy party broke up, going again into the beautiful evening to their respective homes, each and every one satisfied with the fine time had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, under the supervision of the Juniors.

Next week the high school closes with the state exams. This year has been one of the most successful in

the history of the school, very much to which is due the excellent corps of teachers, the Misses Foster, Enright, Kelly, Benson, Burr and Mrs. H. Taylor.

The high school baseball team goes to Lanesboro on June 2nd and Harmony on June 3rd, on which trip they expect to capture two more prizes. The team has a good record so far, having lost but one game out of three played. They are very anxious to get a game with the Caledonia high school, but somehow or other the bunch from up the hill are scared to come down.

BRICE PRAIRIE, WIS.

The dance at the home of Eugene Randers last Friday night was well attended.

Geo. Reallig has purchased the 80 acres of land west of Orsted.

Miss Grace and Blanche Bright and Charles Wisner of La Crosse spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vanzethagen.

Mr. S. Bright spent Sunday with his sister at Dresbach, Minn.

Miss Gertrude Congdon will close her school in district No. 2 Friday, May 29, for the summer vacation.

Al. Kennedy drove down to his lower farm to look after his stock.

Clifford Lovejoy spent Sunday with Bennie and Raleigh Bright.

Farmers are busy planting corn between showers.

ALMA, WIS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harry are the parents of a baby boy, born yesterday.

The Seniors attended the reception given them by Prof. Donaldson.

Mrs. Abe Garrow, who visited here for a week, returned to her home at North La Crosse.

A number of young wolves were brought to Alma by Mr. Riter. He took them to Chairman McCabe to receive bounty for them.

Mr. Doverspike and Allan Gantenbein are kept busy putting up lightning rods in the country.

Mr. A. R. Zieler of St. Paul transacted business here yesterday.

CASHTON, WIS.

The Misses Clark and Starting, teachers in the local high school, left for their homes in Portage and Berlin Monday.

Mabel Johnson, who recently resigned her position as a hello girl here, left Monday for Milwaukee, where she obtained employment.

Miss Grace Hazen, primary teacher here, left for Eau Claire Tuesday, where she will spend her summer vacation.

E. R. Nelson went to Chicago on Tuesday.

Ben Halverson, a brakeman on the "Q," spent Tuesday here with his parents.

Miss Mamie Bates who has been visiting her parents here for the past

two weeks, left Tuesday for La Crosse, where she resumes employment.

A. R. Adlington of Viroqua was a Cashton business caller here Tuesday.

Carl Erickson who recently resigned his position here as a drug-gist for A. A. DuMez, went to Sparta Tuesday, where he has hopes of securing a position of similar work.

Mr. Ben Brown of Viroqua gave a good moving picture show to a fair sized house here Monday. Mr. Brown will be here once a week after this. The date is to be Monday.

Jacob Seitz had the misfortune on Tuesday to cut a finger very badly while butchering a veal calf.

Bert Ferguson who has been steadily employed in the Cashton Record office here the past two weeks, has taken a vacation from his duties as "ad setter" for two months when he will again resume work.

Sylvester Cremer is now employed as one of the cashiers here in the local bank.

A carload of tobacco was taken in here for a La Crosse firm Tuesday.

P. J. Hansen, a local hardware dealer, is putting up a splendid addition to his dwelling on his farm, a mile north of Cashton.

P. E. Mitby shipped a carload of hogs to Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn Miller and Miss Wilson of Melvina visited at Cashton Tuesday afternoon.

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HUGHES COULD CARRY IT O.K.

And So Could Roosevelt, but There is Doubt of Other Republicans; Hearst a Factor

Washington Bureau of
The La Crosse Tribune
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.
(By J. C. Welliver.)

It is coming fast to be recognized that the state of New York will likely be once more this year the pivotal state of the union, in a presidential contest. From time to time a good deal of talk is heard that New York is no longer necessary to either party, if it would win the country; but the talk is little considered by practical politicians. These calculate that New York is today just as much the determining state as it ever was before.

A vast deal of attention is being given to Empire state affairs, especially by the republicans. Their party has some peculiar difficulties there, which complicate the national situation. Governor Hughes has come to be a good deal of an idol with the element that in 1884 won the title of mugwumps, and that since that day has been called by various names less suggestive of opprobrium and more indicative of a respectful attitude on the part of the politicians. Governor Hughes is widely regarded as one of the two republicans who could carry the state, and Theodore Roosevelt is looked upon as the other. There may be other men who could do so, but none of them inspires the confidence that is felt in these two.

Not a Party Man

That the governor ought to be somewhere in the running—as a candidate for governor, for president, for vice president, or as a prospective senator—is widely accepted as the dictate of good politics. The trouble is that the politicians, even those who believe he would help the ticket, are against him for the reason that he is considered an utterly impossible party man. And the man who would have the politicians' support in New York must be a good party man. This question of carrying New York is receiving great attention just now among the political managers. The republicans are uncertain what sort of factor William R. Hearst will be this year. They look to him to contribute greatly to their chance of

carrying the country, and especially New York, if he shall become a candidate for president. Whether any other man, nominated by the Independent party, could do as much, is doubted.

Mr. Hearst's intentions, however, are a sealed book. If Mr. Hearst has confided them to anybody, that person is deaf and dumb. The politicians of both parties want to know and cannot learn. It is reported that Mr. Hearst is going to leave the country before any of the national conventions are held, and that he will remain in Europe until after the republican, democratic and independence parties have held their national gatherings.

People who have a way of studying these things recall that when Mr. Hearst was nominated for mayor of New York he was in France, and reasoning by analogy they express the opinion that while he is in Europe on this year's trip he will be nominated for president. If so, they expect him to be a most important factor in the national fight.

The suggestion of Secretary Root for senator from New York has been circulated with persistence and enthusiasm. Indeed, there is reason to think that he is the choice of the republicans who want to make the strongest possible fight or control of the state this year. The Gotham politicians have been busily warming the ways between Washington and New York of late, conferring and discussing and worrying about the situation; but the program has not been framed, or if framed has not

been confided to anybody on the outside of a very small group. The president is the most astute and powerful politician in New York, and it is generally conceded that the course which he finally dictates will be adopted.

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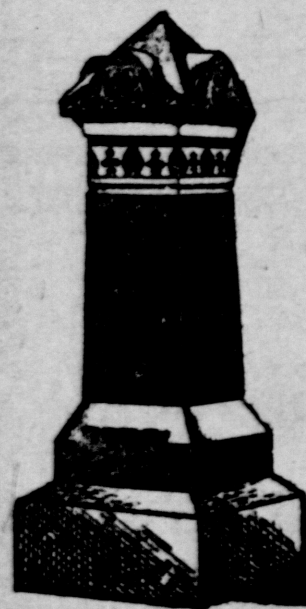
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SEAMAN IS LOST RESCUING AUTHOR

WARSHIP COMES TO RELIEF OF
DRIFTING LAUNCH

EASTON FAMILY ENDANGERED

Drift Helplessly in Ocean During
Raging Storm After Pilot Mysteriously Vanishes

AVAILON, ISLAND OF SANTA CATALINA, Cal., May 28.—Capt. A. Crist of the launch, Zeus of Avalon and C. E. Hooline, ordinary seaman on the United States cruiser Buffalo, were drowned and E. E. Easton and wife, two small children, and a colored nurse were rescued by the Buffalo on the high seas after drifting helplessly for two days in a small launch.

Capt. Crist was lost from the launch Sunday night several miles off Avalon in a mysterious manner. A small rowboat is missing from the launch, and search is being continued for the captain in the hope that he may be found alive.

Sailor Lost Making Rescue.
Seaman Hooline was lost overboard from the Buffalo in effecting the rescue of Mr. Easton and his party from the launch on Tuesday evening while a heavy sea was running off the western coast of the island. Another sailor dived overboard in an unsuccessful attempt to rescue Hooline, and was himself barely saved.

Easton is a former war correspondent, an author of considerable reputation, and was formerly secretary to Webster Davis, assistant secretary of the interior under President McKinley.

Easton and his family were brought to Avalon yesterday by the Buffalo. They had a frightful experience, being for two days without food, and all were in a state of nervous collapse when landed from the cruiser.

Cruiser Seeks Hooline's Body.
After landing the Easton party the Buffalo returned to the scene of the drownings and is cruising about, hoping to pick up Capt. Crist or the body of the drowned sailor.

Easton came to Catalina from Los Angeles with his family several days ago. On May 17 they engaged Capt. Crist and his launch, Zeus, for a camping trip of several days at San Clemente island, thirty miles south of Santa Catalina island. The party returned to the uninhabited western shore of Catalina a few days later and camped there until last Sunday. Late in the afternoon of that day they boarded the Zeus and started to return to Avalon.

Captain Gone; Bearings Lost.
The craft encountered a heavy sea that night and when day dawned on Monday Mr. Easton found that Capt. Crist was missing from the launch, together with the small rowboat towed at the stern. The gasoline engine of the launch was still running, but Mr. Easton knew nothing of its mechanism. A heavy fog set in which totally obscured the island shore and all bearings were soon completely lost.

A heavy storm came up which tossed the craft about and threatened to swamp it every moment. Mr. Easton kept the engine going until the gasoline was exhausted, when the boat drifted. All day Monday, Monday night and Tuesday were spent by Mr. Easton and his family in the launch, which was carried far out to sea.

Sighted by Warship.
Late Tuesday evening the United States steamship Buffalo, a converted cruiser in command of Capt. Pond, sighted the little craft with the occupants wildly waving signals of distress. While rescuing the party Hooline, the sailor, was thrown from the deck of the cruiser into the water and drowned.

Finally Easton and his family were safely taken aboard the Buffalo, which proceeded to Avalon.

RECRUITS CONTINUE TO JOIN ARMY

John C. Becker of Mound Prairie was sent to Ft. Snelling this morning where he has been enlisted in the infantry. Theo. Pulzin and Charles Smith of Dresbach have been enlisted and will be sent to Fort Snelling the first of next week. First Lieutenant E. C. Wells visited at the local recruiting station yesterday and was well pleased with the showing made by the La Crosse station. Private Jesse S. Callahan returned this morning from a canvassing trip, stopping at Austin, Preston and Caledonia.

WOMEN PITCHED FROM BUGGY

There was an exciting runaway on the north side this morning which might have been very serious as well.

Mrs. Schroeder and daughter were driving along Kane street and in trying to pass the steam roller, the horse became frightened and overturned the buggy throwing the women out on the boulevard. The horse dashed up the street, but was finally caught. The buggy and the harness were badly damaged. The women were not injured.

WIND CAUSES CIRCUS SMASHUP

JACKSON, Minn., May 28.—A special circus train, carrying twenty-six cars and pulled by two engines, was wrecked when five empty box cars on a siding were started in motion by a terrific wind, and running into an open switch went out on the main track and down the steep hill with the speed of a passenger train, crashing into the approaching circus special.



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And Sentence Was Suspended—Parting Between Mother and Boy Is Pathetic

He didn't know that it was stealing, was all the excuse that Frank Netwal gave when arraigned in court this morning to answer the charge of stealing the baseballs, mitts, sweaters, stockings, bats and other articles from the club house at the ball grounds.

Some time ago the club house was broken into and everything of value was taken. The police have been on the case ever since and the arrest of young Netwal was the result. He was given a year in the reformatory for the theft. In sentencing him the fact that he had been up on a similar charge before and at that time sentence was suspended was taken into consideration.

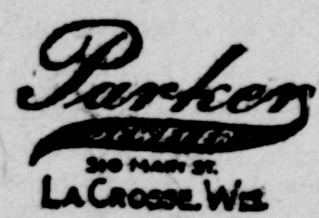
The boy's mother was in court and when the sheriff stepped forward to take his charge the parting was pathetic, the mother throwing her arms about the boy's neck and sobbing.

AGED PERJURER IS DENIED AN APPEAL

LONDON, May 28.—The appeal of Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, found guilty on April 9th of perjury in testifying in the Druce case to the alleged identity of the Duke of Portland with T. C. Druce, has been denied and the woman today was sentenced to 18 months in prison. She is 70 years old.

Blacksmith and Watchmaker

There are tricks in all trades but ours, is an old saying. There are also a lot of people who are always willing to do work a little less than others without offering any satisfactory reason for so doing. This is true of the watch business, and you will find in nine cases out of ten the reason is incompetency. A fine watch needs the services of a good mechanic and in the hands of the skilled watchmaker it will give the best results and be the cheapest in the end.



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(Continued from page 1.)

cent required by the present law is stipulated, and all of it shall be held in Washington. The emergency currency issuable shall not exceed in the aggregate \$500,000,000. Such currency shall be subject to a retirement tax at the rate of 5 per cent per annum for the first month and an additional 1 per cent per month thereafter until 10 per cent is reached. State, county and municipal bonds shall be acceptable as security for emergency currency at 90 per cent of their market value. Other bonds and commercial paper to be issued through currency associations as basis for emergency currency shall be similarly acceptable at 75 per cent of their market value.

In this last clause it will be seen that railroad bonds, the suggestion of which lead Senator La Follette to offer his rider for approval of railroad properties when the original Aldrich bill was up, and which Senator Aldrich himself withdrew, are again made eligible as a basis for emergency currency. It is this, among other things, that it said to impel Senator La Follette to again fight the measure.

No bank shall be allowed to take out emergency circulation in an amount excessive of 30 per cent of its capital and surplus when the security offered is commercial paper. No emergency currency may be taken out under any circumstances unless the obligant bank has already taken out, according to the present law, an amount of currency equal to 40 per cent of its capital stock and surplus.

Up to 90 Per Cent of Face
The provision from the Aldrich bill is incorporated in the conference bill that banks which hold state, county or municipal bonds may, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, take out additional currency directly upon them up to 90 per cent of their market value—that is, they may do so on their individual initiative and responsibility.

The use of commercial paper as a basis for taking out emergency currency may be only by banks which affiliate themselves in groups of not less than ten, was an aggregate capital under surplus of not less than \$5,000,000. Such groups shall be known as "National Currency associations" instead of "National Clearing House associations," the clearing house associations of the country having objected to the use of the latter's name.

Commission Provided For
A clause creating a currency commission committee, composed of nine members of the house and nine of the senate, is carried in the bill.

GOULD LINES ARE HIT BY BIG STRIKE

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The long threatened strike of carmen on the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain roads—the Gould lines—is on. Reports of headquarters of the Brotherhood of Railroad Carmen here show that twelve hundred men walked out at points on the system today. The strike was caused, the men claim, by the company's breaking a contract with them, and substituting piece work for the hourly basis of pay formerly in effect.

DONS AND FRANKS DUELING TO DEATH

PARIS, May 28.—A vendetta of French and Spanish soldiers jointly engaged in policing Morocco has followed a clash at Casa Blanca May 17th, in which two Spaniards were killed and several Frenchmen wounded, according to complaints from the officers of both nationalities. Duels between individuals are almost daily occurrences and several deaths have resulted.

LYNCH GIVES "FIGGERS."

CHICAGO, May 28.—Gov. John A. Johnson's campaign managers announced yesterday they were justified in declaring that William Jennings Bryan would not be nominated on the first ballot at the Denver convention, nor upon the second or third ballot.

Every delegation and every delegate that has not been roped and branded by the Nebraskan is optimistically placed in the Johnson column. The southern states, the statesmen say, have 250 votes and more than half of them will be against Bryan, making more than one-third of the national gathering hostile to the Nebraskan.

Bryan's nomination would seem to be impossible, and Gov. Johnson's nomination is the only alternative.

TO TEST BASEBALL "LID"

MANKATO, Minn., May 28.—Commercial travelers spending Sunday in the city had intended to test Mayor Andrews' order prohibiting Sunday baseball, demanding separate jury trials if arrested, but were deterred by the rain. They propose to make the test next Sunday. A team has been organized at each of the two leading hotels.

A LITTLE BITTER.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Ritter, 713 Division street, an 8½ pound child. Mrs. Ritter is at St. Francis hospital.

GREATEST PUBLIC LECTURER COMING

DOCTOR THOMAS E. GREEN WILL
SPEAK IN LA CROSSE

HE DEMANDS BIG PRICES

Internationally Famous Lyceum Orator Will Address La Crosse Chautauqua Patrons, June 17th

Dr. Thomas E. Green, one of the leading attractions of our coming Chautauqua is a notable man on and off the platform, a minister of rare pulpit power and companionable flesh and blood man on the street or in the home. Though not a politician his face is probably more familiar to national convention delegates than that of most great politicians for he has been chaplain of four different national conventions. On one of these occasions after the prayer had been made by the doctor, reaching every ear in the vast convention hall with his rotund voice and splendid enunciation, the secretary of the convention rose to read a list. His voice squeaked and cracked in the effort. "Sit down man, sit down," yelled a big Scotch delegate from up state. "Sit down and give it to the Elder. He'll read it."

Dr. Green is by the way a 33rd degree Mason, a prominent figure in the Sons of the American Revolution and connected creditably with other notable organizations. Personally he is a plain quiet gentleman with a touch of the cosmopolitan, socially as charming as he is popular as a lecturer. His rise to wide public notice and approval was extremely rapid. Within two years after he began to accept occasional lecture dates the demand for his services was heard from both sides of the continent, and the Redpath Lyceum bureau to secure him was obliged to over bid other bureaus to the largest contract price ever given a public lecturer.

LURED GIRL; IS GIVEN SIX MONTHS

After luring a country girl away from her home with tales of "life in the city" and keeping her for a month, Joseph Sumback was this morning sentenced to 6 months in the county jail.

When Miss Ethel Stopf realized the real facts she was afraid to return to the parental roof to ask forgiveness, and she continued to stay with him at the various hotels about the city.

When arraigned in court he pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced as stated above.

TWO DISASTERS TOTAL TO 2,000

Victoria, B. C., May 28.—A disaster involving the loss of 2,000 lives, 1,000 in a typhoon and flood in Hankow, and an equal number in a mine fire in Kwang Si, was reported from China today in messages brought by the Japanese liner Shimonoseki, just in from the Orient.

What Do They Cure?

The above question is often asked concerning Dr. Pierce's two leading medicines, "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Favorite Prescription." The answer is that "Golden Medical Discovery" is a most potent alterative or blood-purifier, and tonic or invigorator and acts especially favorably in a curative way upon all the mucous lining surfaces, as of the nasal passages, throat, bronchial tubes, stomach, bowels and bladder—curing a large per cent of catarrhal cases whether the disease affects the nasal passages, the throat, larynx, bronchia, stomach (as catarrhal dyspepsia), bowels (as mucous colitis), bladder, uterus or other pelvic organs. Even in the chronic or obstinate stages of these affections it is often successful in affecting a cure.

The "Favorite Prescription" is advised for the cure of a class of diseases—those peculiar weaknesses, irritations and irregularities incident to women only. It is a powerful yet gently acting invigorating tonic and nervine. For weak worn-out, over-worked women—no matter what has caused the break-down, "Favorite Prescription" will be found most effective in building up the strength, regulating the womanly functions, subduing pain and bringing about a healthy, vigorous condition of the whole system.

A book of particulars wraps each bottle giving the formulae of both medicines and quoting what scores of eminent medical authors, whose works are consulted by physicians of all the schools of practice as guides in prescribing, say of each ingredient entering into these medicines.

The words of praise bestowed on the several ingredients entering into Doctor Pierce's medicines by such writers should have more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonials, because such men are writing for the guidance of their medical brethren and know whereof they speak.

Both medicines are non-alcoholic, non-secret, and contain no harmful habit-forming drugs, being composed of glyceric extracts of the roots of native American medicinal forest plants. They are both sold by dealers in medicine. You can't afford to accept as a substitute for one of these medicines of known composition, any secret nostrum.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels.

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All Grocers are Authorized to Guarantee this.

Calumet Baking Powder costs little. Costs a little more than the cheap, injurious powders now on the market, but is a big saving over the trust powders.

Try Calumet

Report of the Financial Condition —of the—

State Bank of La Crosse

At the Close of Business, May 14, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 655,829.67
Overdrafts	703.52
U. S. and other Bonds and Securities	74,354.50
Banking House and Fixtures	8,000.00
In Reserve Banks	185,209.73
Cash in Vault	87,747.86
	\$1,011,845.28
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	15,945.80
Deposits	895,899.48
	\$1,011,845.28

THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE

MAY 14, 1908

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$2,720,679.29
Overdrafts	2,849.19
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	250,000.00
Other bonds	312,600.00
Banking house	50,000.00
Other real estate	100.00
Cash Resources—	
N. Y. city bonds to secure U. S. deposits	\$58,000.00
With Banks	\$42,785.13
With treasurer U. S.	12,500.00
In vaults	299,700.32
	912,985.45
Total	\$4,249,213.93
LIABILITIES.	
Capital	\$250,000.00
Surplus	250,000.00
Undivided profits	42,785.93
Reserved for interest	14,500.00
Circulation	241,600.00
Deposits	3,450,328.00
Total	\$4,249,213.93

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Decoration Day Evening, May 30.

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R. S. Kreutz, Director.

Tickets 75c

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LA CROSSE IS TO HAVE FOOTBALL

REAL ARTICLE WILL BE PLAYED
HERE THIS FALL

CAPT. TOURTELLOTTE TALKS

Besides Present Stars Some Good
Players Are to Enter the High
School This Fall

"The La Crosse high school is going to have a football team that will sweep the state next fall," said Captain Tourtelotte, who was elected captain for the coming season. "We have the best material to pick from that the high school has ever had." According to the present outlook the captain's prophecy will be fulfilled. Although such men as the Dahlgren brothers and Archie Larson will not be here to play, there are others to take their places who will fill the bill. Roddy from Black River Falls comes here to school next fall and will probably take a place in the line. Massey, the sprinter, who captured first place in the 220 yard dash in the interstate meet, was considered a likely candidate for the team, as he had intended to finish his high school course here, but he was found to be ineligible because he had made a professional out of himself by running at some country fair for a few dollars. The Hundermark brothers of Caledonia intend to finish high school at the local school and will be valuable additions to the team. One of the brothers plays a strong game at end and the other is a good line-man. Jungbluth will be included in the next season's line-up and many others who played on the team last year will be there.

Artemis Club Banquet.

The Artemis club of the high school has invited the Lincoln Douglas Debating society to a banquet to be given at the Artemis club rooms next Saturday evening. The feast will be something great, as all the Artemis club girls attend cooking school and are well versed in the culinary art.

High School to Have New Teachers.
The faculty of the high school will undergo a great change next term, as many of the teachers now there are planning to resign and new ones will take their places. About eight teachers will go. It is rumored that the majority of them will take up positions in the school of matrimony and the high school will again lose teachers because of the same ailment which has caused so many to resign in the past two years.

Athletes Go to Ripon.
A number of the boys who took part in the interstate meet last Saturday afternoon go to Ripon today where they will take part in the contest there. The qualifications for Ripon are lower than they are for Madison, so that a greater number are allowed to go. It is expected that a few of the huskiest ones will come back wearing the badges which show that they won a place there.

Hardest Game of the Season.
The toughest game of the baseball season comes off next Saturday afternoon when the high school team goes to Sparta to take revenge for the defeat which the Spartans inflicted upon them in the early part of the season. A large delegation will attend the team. The line-up of the La Crosse team for the game is as follows:
R. Bradish or Stavrum, 3b.
Schaldach, ss.
J. Dahlgren, 2b.
A. Dahlgren, 1b.
F. Dickens, cf.
M. Novak, rf.
Holbrook, lb.
F. Novak, c.
Rynning, p.

MARIETTA:
Order Gold Medal Flour if your folks are pernickily about their victuals. SALLY ANN.

WISCONSIN MAN IS HONORED BY POPE

CHIPPEWA, Wis., May 28.—Pope Pius X. has decorated A. B. McDonnell, a lumberman and banker, with the Order of St. Gregory the Great in recognition of his liberal gifts to the Catholic church. With the other goes the title "Sir" and membership of the pope's household. The honor is especially noteworthy in that only six Orders of St. Gregory have been bestowed on United States citizens. The order will be formally conferred tomorrow by Bishop Scheele. The emblem is a bifurcated or eight pointed cross in red enamel. The name and image of St. Gregory are displayed on a small blue shield in the center. The reverse side bears the name of the founder and the inscription, "Pro Deo Et Principe." A crown of oak leaves surmounts the cross.

ROBBERS LASSO THE CHIMNEY

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 28.—A unique attempt was made to rob the residence of George B. Wheeler, general manager of the Chippewa Valley Railway, Light and Power company, but the burglar was scared away before he secured anything of value. He had lassoed the chimney of the house with a long rope and had then climbed up to an attic window, gaining an entrance at that point. When he heard somebody entering the house the intruder climbed out of the window and slid down the rope and scampered off.

STORM DEFTED BY THIEVES

PORTAGE, Wis., May 28.—During a violent electrical storm the store of P. H. Shaver & Co. was broken into and the desks and tills ransacked. The sum of \$8.70 in small change was stolen from the cash register.

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COME AND LOOK THEM OVER AND BE CONVINCED

65c Dress Goods 49c

Black and colored Panamas of good quality, regularly worth 65c. While it lasts priced at the yard

49c

\$1.25 & \$1.50 Suitings

A good assortment of Dress Suitings that are regularly worth \$1.25 and \$1.50. To close out quickly priced at the yard

78c

Persian Lawns 22c

A lot of good quality Persian Lawns in choice patterns and colorings. While they last priced at the yard only

22c

15c Organdies 10c

A choice lot of Organdies regularly sold at 15c. The lot must be disposed of quickly, while it lasts, priced at the yard

10c

35c Emb Swiss 18c

A lot of Embroidered Swiss of good quality and choice patterns, regularly worth 35c. For speedy clearance priced at the yard

18c

\$1.25 & \$1.50 Fancy Silk 79c

A lot including the choicest pattern Fancy Silk that regularly sold at \$1.25 and \$1.50. For quick clearance

79c

15c Towels 9c

A lot of good quality Huck and Turkish Towels regularly worth 15c. Must be cleared at once. Your choice while they last

9c

15c Muslin 6 3/4c

A lot of good quality bleached Muslin in desirable lengths, worth to 15c; while it lasts at the yard

6 3/4c

20c India Linon 10c

A lot of desirable length remnants of a good quality India Linon, worth up to 20c; while it lasts, at the yard

10c

25c Wash Goods 10c

A lot of Madras, Pique and Lace Stripe Wash Goods, regularly sold at up to 25c; while it lasts priced

10c

35c White Goods 15c

Mercerized white goods, in desirable lengths, formerly sold at up to 35c, tomorrow and while it lasts at the yard

15c

25c White Goods 12 1/2c

A lot of desirable remnant lengths in Long Cloth and Nainsook, formerly sold at up to 25c; choice at the yard

12 1/2c

All Unbleached Muslin, 10 yards for 59c

59c

Amoskeag Apron Gingham 10 yards for 69c

69c

15c Toweling 10c

A good quality bleached Toweling, regularly sold at 15c. While it lasts priced at the yard

10c

89c Louisine 59c

A good quality fancy check Louisine, values that formerly sold at up to 89c, choice at the yard

59c

60c Table Linen 49c

A splendid quality unbleached table linen 68 inches wide, 60c quality, priced at the yard

39c

15c Shirts 10c

An assorted lot of good quality shirts in choice dark colors and patterns; regular 15c quality at the yard

10c

Crash Toweling 5c

Your choice of two good quality Crash Toweling really worth 8c, a big quantity to dispose of. While it lasts priced at

5c

15c Toweling 10c

A splendid quality of Damask Toweling where we have entirely too much. Regular 15c quality. Priced at the yard only

10c

Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder 17c

25c and 35c Dress Shields 12 1/2c

12 1/2c

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MUSICIANS WILL BE HOSTS ALSO

KREUTZ'S ORCHESTRA GIVES
DECORATION DAY BALL

TO BE AT WOODMAN HALL

Orchestra of 25 Pieces to Dispense
Music at a Splendid Entertainment

Kreutz's La Crosse orchestra will be the whole thing at a Decoration day ball to be given at Woodmen hall, Linker building, on that holiday evening, Saturday, May 30. Because the orchestra is to give the ball, there will be 25 pieces in the orchestra, and the orchestra will be hosts as well as dispenser of music.

"We've helped entertain at thousands of dances," said Director Kreutz today. "Now we are going to give a ball of our own. We want it to be the most enjoyable event of the season. With 25 pieces in the orchestra, each one in the hands of an artist, the music will be equal to any ever dispensed at a dance in La Crosse."

The boys of Kreutz's organization are appreciative of the fact that they have a multitude of friends and admirers in La Crosse. They know they are wanted wherever good music is desired. They have been given a liberal patronage, and they propose to give an entertainment that will be a treat, to which they earnestly hope all their friends may go. As Mr. Moritz Langstadt said when discussing the proposed dance with Mr. Kreutz during his recent visit to La Crosse, "It's a fine idea, and everybody will enjoy it to beat the band."

DEAD MAN GRIPS REINS

SPEARFISH, S. D., May 28.—Trotting up to the farmhouse of Joseph Grant, near here, Grant's team stopped at the door. When Mrs. Grant went to see why her husband did not alight from the seat she found him sitting stone dead, holding the reins. He was on the way home from town and lightning struck him. Only a slight mark showed the effect of the stroke which killed him.

If some married men do not lie about what keeps them out until 2 a. m. it's probably because their wives are not at home to ask them.

Kidney complaint kills more people than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal diseases of taken in time. O. T. Erhart.

Charity begins at home and is generally kept in the family.

DECORATION DAY

Our Store will close at noon.
On this account will have no
Strawberries for Saturday.



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Woman likes to have a man jeal-
ous about her so she needn't be about
him.

PERSONALS

Change of program at the Bijou
tonight.

Yeomen meeting tonight. Special
entertainment. Coren Hall. Come.
Dr. Sara Nimocks has returned
from Ida Grove, Iowa, where she was
called on account of the serious ill-
ness of a sister.

William Tisch has returned from
a trip to Texas.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.
M. J. La Court is in Milwaukee for
a few days on a business mission.

J. P. Fetter has returned from a
business trip to Mankato.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lawrence have
returned from an extended visiting
trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sterling are in
St. Paul for a few days visiting
friends.

Dr. George Powell, consulting phy-
sician and surgeon.
Alderman Harry Hirschbomler has
left on a business trip through the
east.

Mrs. James Smelser has returned
from a visit with friends at Viroqua.

A number of men from Neshonic's
mills are down as witnesses in the
Goddard suit, to testify for the rail-
road company.

Hack calls promptly attended to.
Phone 179 Gateway City Trlr Line.
Mrs. A. W. Fitzpatrick and moth-
er, Mrs. P. Peterson, left last night
for Tunnel City, where they will
visit for a few weeks.

M. Voller and family of Flaudreau,
S. D., are the guests of friends in
the city for a few days.

M. Crane of Houston has returned
home after spending a few days in
the city with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Halebur of Eau
Claire are the guests of friends in
the city for a few days.

Mrs. A. Suggens of Flaudreau, S.
D., is in the city for a few weeks'
visit with relatives.

Mrs. L. E. Nelson of Lake Mills
has returned home after visiting
friends in the city.

J. Volden of Mable is in the city
on a business mission.

A. Samich of Whalan was calling
on business acquaintances in La
Crosse yesterday.

T. Fisher and daughter of Madison
are visiting friends and relatives in
the city.

Mrs. J. Hendrick of West Prairie
is visiting friends in La Crosse for
a few days.

C. E. Ward has returned to Chase-
burg after transacting business here.

GREAT NAVAL TEST HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL

OLD POINT COMFORT, May 28.—
In the naval bombardment experi-
ments yesterday the monitor Florida
withstood the most severe test that
has ever been inflicted on a war ves-
sel of the American navy during
times of peace, surviving the terrific
onslaught from the twelve and four-
inch guns of her sister ship, the Ar-
kansas, and although his several
times, twice with shells containing a
new high explosive, the composition
of which is kept secret, she was taken
back to the Norfolk navy yard in the
afternoon but little damaged. The
heavy eleven-inch armor plate on the
right front of her turret was stove
in, and several steel tubes of her
new military mast were cut in twain,
but she was otherwise undamaged.
The tests were highly successful in
every light.

FRATERNAL RESERVE LODGE AT SPARTA

On Tuesday and Wednesday the F.
R. A. of Sparta was re-organized, a
number from La Crosse, Bangor and
Tomah attending. A banquet was
served the visitors by Mrs. Thorn-
burg, of Sparta and a dance was held
in the hall. The installation and ac-
companying entertainment was thor-
oughly enjoyed by the visitors. Those
present from La Crosse were: Mrs.
Dr. Watterson, Mr. and Mrs. Cham-
berlain, Mrs. Al Smith, Miss Land,
Mrs. Frankenstein, Al Radtke and
Mrs. Boardman.

TUBERCULAR SHOW HERE NEXT FALL

Secretary Hutchins of the State
University has written Rev. Clem-
mens of this city informing him that
the exhibit of tuberculosis will be
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As a place of refuge for our prin-
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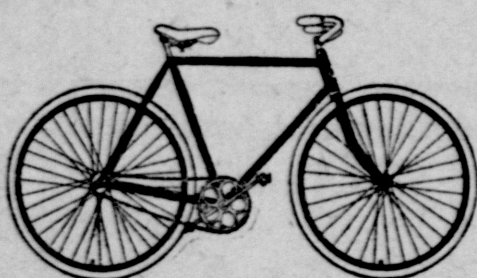
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Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.
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Dr. George Powell, consulting phy-
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Alderman Harry Hirschheimer has
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Mrs. James Smelser has returned
from a visit with friends at Viroqua.

A number of men from Neshonic's
mills are down as witnesses in the
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Hack calls promptly attended to.
Phone 179 Gateway City Trlr Line.

Mrs. A. W. Fitzpatrick and moth-
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In the naval bombardment experi-
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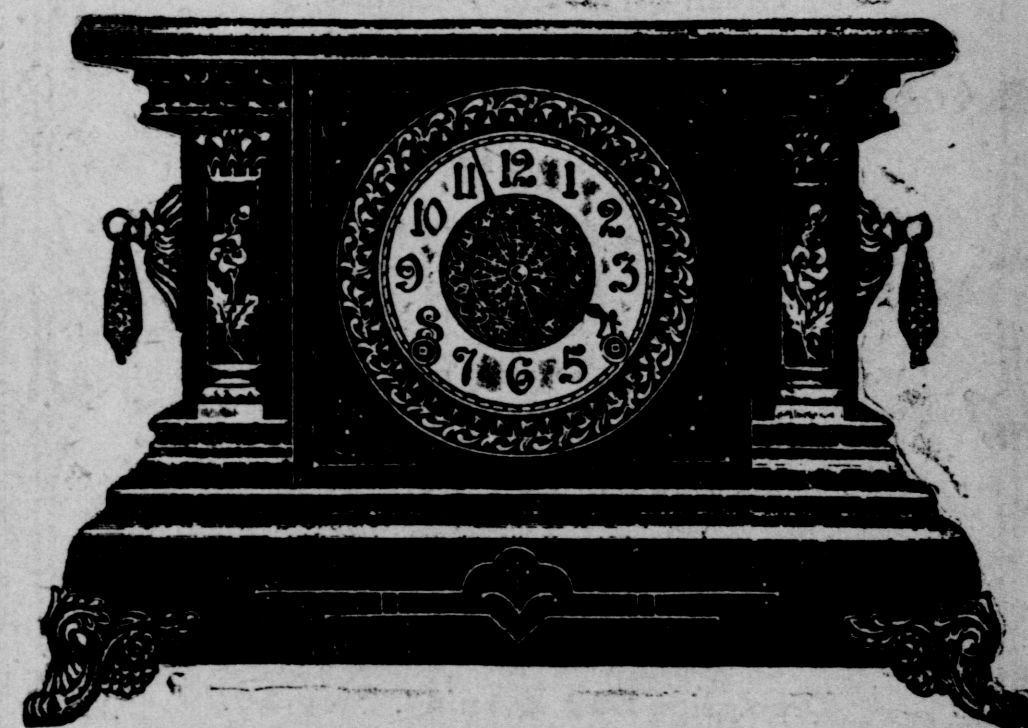
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Sort them all out—those you wish to part with—then place a want ad in the TRIBUNE and find out who can use them.



Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, will equip shop for you of furnish positions, few weeks' completion, constant practice, careful instructions, tools given, Saturday wages, diploma granted, write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army, able-bodied men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer at Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—A porter at the Schiller, 110 So. 4th St.

WANTED—Tinner at once. Badger Steel Roofing & Corrugating Co., cor. 7th & La Crosse Sts.

WANTED—First class painters. Apply to Geo. W. Scott, 217 N. 11th St.

WANTED—Bell boy at the Cameron House. Apply to manager.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Dining room girls at Hotel Bronson.

WANTED—Dining room girl at Northwestern Hotel, 319 Vine.

WANTED—At 1004 Cass St. an experienced cook and a second girl.

WANTED—Girls to run sewing machines. Steady employment. Apply at once La Crosse Clothing company, Second and State.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, family of two. Good wages for right party, 1624 Loomis.

WANTED—Apprentice girl, dress-making, 822 So. 4th.

WANTED—A washerwoman at 907 State.

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework, 424 So. 4th.

WANTED—Girl for second work. Good wages. Apply, Leigh Toland, 1402 King St.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing for family. Call after 3 p. m. at 1029 Cameron Ave.

WANTED—Girls at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 No. 6th.

WANTED—A good cook. Apply Mrs. Thompson's house boat, opposite city.

WANTED—A girl at the Chop Suey house, 125 S. 3rd.

WANTED—Competent girl for second girl. Apply to Mrs. Henry Gund, 1509 King St.

WANTED—Girl in marking and sorting department. Modern Steam Laundry.

WANTED—Experienced fine clothes ironer, good wages. Modern Steam Laundry.

For Sale

FOR SALE—I have a piano for sale, nearly new, French Burl Walnut Case, handsome Colonial style, beautiful tone and excellent action. Leaving city and do not care to ship it. Was \$385.00 when new, will sell at a great bargain. Please address, E. B. Tribune.

FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law, bound in half leather. Will sell cheap. Address, F. K. G., care Tribune.

FOR SALE—Gas range, 618 So. 5th. Old phone, 3242.

FOR SALE—Second hand baby carriage. Price \$4.00. Address, 25, this office.

FOR SALE—Nine room house, good barn, fine water, everything in good condition. Inquire at 1322 Pine St.

FOR SALE—Sideboard, dining room table, china closet and go-cart. Call mornings, 1212 Market St.

FOR SALE—Small barn, very good condition. Enquire Aug. Lautz, 211 No. 3rd St.

FOR SALE—One 8 room house on large lot with barn, \$2,100. Inquire 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—All kinds of lumber at the Hill View Farm, by Otto Granke, 833 Rose St.

FOR SALE—One sideboard, dining room table and chairs and Majestic range, 316 Mill St.

FOR SALE—Eight room cottage, lot 52x100, city water; must be sold at once. Address, 52 Tribune.

FOR SALE—Very desirable corner lot, 45x149, to an alley, good locality, cheap for cash. Address, A. T. Tribune.

FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Market street, between 15th and 16th. Enquire at Tenneson's, the grocer, 1307 Market St.

FOR SALE—Automobile, good as new, detachable tonneau, \$350 if taken at once, 426 So. 9th.

FOR SALE—Upright piano, nearly new, cheap, if taken at once. Address "M," Tribune.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms, modern, apply second floor, Tribune Bldg.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, 403 W. Ave. So. Call between 11 and 12 o'clock a. m.

FOR RENT—Small house, cor. Main and 12th. Enquire 113 S. 2nd.

FOR up-to-date furnished room call at 718 State.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 718 Main.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 113 No. 3rd St.

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 212 Rose. Enquire 216 Rose.

FOR RENT—Modern house, reasonable rent, 1217 Johnson.

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room, \$4.00, 525 So. 5th St.

Bicycles

"RACYCLE"—The largest selling high grade wheel in the world. Weis Book Store, 509 Main St.

To Rent

WANTED TO RENT—Modern cottage, central location. Will give long lease for desirable property. Address, A. B. C., care Tribune.

Lost

LOST—Mexican double yellow head polly. Return 916 Division. Reward.

LOST—Hound, black and tan with white markings, about twenty inches high, six toes on back feet, strap around neck. Return to O. H. Hulberg, 228-230 Main St.

Architects, Superintendents

SCHICK & ROTH—Batafian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

Shoe Repairing

ALL KINDS of shoe repairing done at reasonable prices. E. Anderson, 932 Caledonia St. New phone 761M.

Instructions

SPECIAL rates for teachers during the summer months at the La Crosse School of Music. Pianos for practice are offered free to out-of-town students. Children and beginners in classes given low terms. Call or write today, 209 So. 5th St.

Insurance

TORNADO INSURANCE—\$4.00 per thousand for 2 years; \$6.00 for 5 years. C. S. Van Auken, 328 Pearl St.

Auto Tires

RETRADED at Anderson. Fine work. All work guaranteed. 932 Caledonia St. New phone 761M.

Nothing Like It

WORTH Dollars, Cost Cents. H. W. Barker's Cough Remedy. Nothing like it. Runkel's Drug Store.

Painting

ALL kinds of painting and graining. Christian Schmidt, 530 Berlin St. old phone 3411.

Real Estate

FOR RENT. Flat with city heat, very desirable located . . . \$28.00 Large brick store, good location . . . \$25.00

FOR SALE. A good 2-story 7-room house, with 2 lots, 1229 Farnam Street . . . \$2,900

2 lots with fine buildings, 108x150, very desirably located \$4,500 One of the finest residences in the city in best location, inquire at office

Lot in Madison Court . . . \$1,100 Fine modern residence . . . \$7,500

2 lots, with factory building, store with double dwelling above, cottage, barn and sheds, \$900 rent income, all for . . . \$7,150

1 lot with 2 large dwellings, all modern except furnace heating . . . \$3,100

2 lots, corner S. W. Anderson's 3rd addition . . . \$400

Lot with 2 houses, 1234 South Eleventh . . . \$1050.00

120 acre farm, 10 miles from La Crosse . . . \$4,200

A fine property on Main thoroughfare, 50x172 with large brick residence and smaller frame dwelling . . . \$5,000

C. F. KLEIN, Insurance and Money to Loan. 208 McMillan Bldg.

Carpet Cleaning

CARPETS taken up, cleaned and delivered, 3 and 4c per yard. Satisfaction guaranteed. Rugs made from worn-out carpets. New phone, 968R; old phone, 9561. Oriental Rug Co., 520 Mill St. Enos E. Johnson, Mgr.

CARPETS taken up, cleaned, relaid. Called for. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Both phones La Crosse Reg. Co., 109 Main.

A very enjoyable thing about fishing is wives never want to go along.

Financial
LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

Excursions
STEAMER E. RUTLEDGE can now be chartered for excursions. For rates and dates apply to F. J. Fugina, Fountain City, Wis.

Coast Shipments
CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Miscellaneous
TABLE BOARD—Reasonable price, 118 So. 9th.
ROOM & BOARD—122 No. 5th.
TABLE BOARD with or without rooms, 311 So. 5th.
WANTEDA secondhand safe. Give dimensions, price and full particulars. Address, Flat B, 332 Cass St., City.
WANTED—Work by the day. Call old phone, 3533.
WANTED—Children to try our merry-go-round—2 rides for 5c; grown people 5c. 11th and Jackson.
WANTED—Vacant room to store furniture for summer. J. A. Westby, 1212 Market.

\$35,000 DAMAGES BY HAIL AND RAIN

SIX-HOUR STORM CAUSES GREAT HAVOC AT ARMOUR

SCHOOL HOUSE IS WRECKED

Hail Beats Growing Crops into the Ground and Great Damage Follows Storm Visit

ARMOUR, S. D., May 28.—A terrific rain and wind storm visited this section last night, lasting six hours, and doing more than \$35,000 damage in this locality. Over three inches of rain fell and hail beat the growing crops into the ground. Hundreds of window lights were broken out on the side next to the storm and two tall chimneys on the Armour high school building were wrecked and went crashing through three floors to the basement. The damage to the building amounts to \$5,000. Cyclonic clouds formed in the vicinity of Platte, thirty miles away, and traveled at the rate of 80 miles an hour.

Mrs. S. Joyce, 180 Sullivan St., Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years' standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it." O. T. Erhart.

TO ENLARGE STATE SCHOOL

FARIBAULT, Minn., May 28.—Bids have been received for the erection of four new buildings at the school for the feeble-minded which will cost about \$125,000. These buildings will be erected this summer and will consist of one for boys who are epileptic, one boys' custodial, one for girls who are epileptic, and a central kitchen. The contracts have not yet been let.

MARY ELLEN: Gold Medal Flour is the best for making everything. SABBINA

CABLE BREAKS; THREE HURT

HASTINGS, Minn., May 28.—Three men were injured in an accident here yesterday morning at 9 o'clock when the cable which carries the sand bucket where the Ramsey street sewer is being dug, broke, letting the bucket and contents fall.

New Train Service Between Pierre and the Black Hills, Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Huron and Rapid City, and Between Huron and the Twin Cities.

Effective May 25th, train service via The Chicago & North-Western and the P. R. C. & N. W. will include one new train per day in each direction between Pierre and Rapid City, with Pullman sleeping cars between Huron and Rapid City, leaving Huron, west-bound, train 503, 9:20 p. m. daily except Sunday; Pierre 1:10 a. m. daily except Monday; arriving Rapid City 7:38 a. m. daily except Monday. Leave Rapid City, east-bound, train 502, 8:38 p. m. daily, except Saturday, arrive Pierre 3:00 a. m., Huron 8:10 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Direct connection at Rapid City with trains to and from Deadwood, Lead, Belle Fourche and Hot Springs. Trains 501 and 504 west of Huron continue on present schedule, but will be operated daily except Sunday, between Pierre and Rapid City and Deadwood.

Through Pullman sleeping car service will be inaugurated daily between Huron and the Twin Cities, leaving Huron 8:55 p. m., arriving St. Paul 7:30 a. m., Minneapolis 8:05 a. m., and leaving Minneapolis 7:30 p. m., St. Paul 8:00 p. m., arriving Huron 7:35 a. m.

For further information apply to Ticket Agents, The North Western Line.

The race of consequential vergers is not yet extinct. Dean Pigeon has a story a bout one of them, who, when a bishop asked him at what point he was to make his appearance, replied: "First I take the chair people to their places, and then, after they are seated, I return for you, my lord, and conduct you to the altar."

MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

GRABS FOR HAT; FALLS TO DEATH

MAN PLUNGES FROM RAILROAD BRIDGE INTO RAINY WATER

ACCIDENT NEAR SPOONER

Puff of Wind Carried Off His Hat and His Effort to Recover His Head Covering is Fatal

SPOONER, Minn., May 28.—Snatching for his hat when it blew from his head while he was crossing the international bridge of the Canadian & Northern railroad cost Robert Gurlick his life yesterday. In reaching for the hat, he lost his balance and plunged headlong over the edge of the bridge.

Witnesses say that a sudden puff of wind carried off Gurlick's hat. The man, evident for a moment, made a lunge to save the head covering, lost his balance and fell. His head struck an iron bar before his body plunged into the river and was lost to sight. The blow from the bar probably rendered the man unconscious and prevented any struggle to save himself. Many boats were soon at the scene of the accident, but Gurlick's body did not reappear. Later the corpse was recovered 20 feet below the spot where the man fell.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—The Barnes County Fair association is making preparations for the annual county fair to be held here on July 7, 8, 9 and 10. The stakes for the early events are closed and the fair will offer a better racing exhibition this year than ever before.

CROOKSTON, Minn.—Hugh R. Robertson, a citizen of Crookston for twenty-five years, has filed for the county treasurer nomination on the republican ticket.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D.—The annual picnic and celebration of the Old Settlers' association of Turner county will be held on Thursday of next week in Monroe. The gathering will be addressed by Hon. J. W. Edmunds of Parker, Hon. W. E. Edge of Center ville and other Turner county orators.

CLINTON, Ia.—The sum of \$100 will be forwarded to the Iowa headquarters of the Young Men's Christian association from Clinton. The sum is a contribution from the Juniors of the Clinton association toward the maintenance of a secretary of boys' work in Iowa. The Clinton Juniors raised the sum during one day by a canvass of the business district of the city and homes of friends.

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—Wednesday evening the Elks lodge will be instituted in Valley City, a team from Jamestown doing the work. There will be a class of sixty candidates for initiation. The lodge will begin its career with a membership of eighty-five.

STURGIS, S. D.—Fred Willard, Jr., formerly a resident of Sturgis, is dead at Denver. It is reported that he was killed in an accident.

MUSCATINE, Iowa.—The state convention of the Iowa Electric Medical association will open here Wednesday. Several hundred are here to attend it and the session promises to be an excellent one.

BARNESVILLE, Minn.—The jury in the case of W. A. Wadham vs. the Fargo & Moorhead Street Railway company, which was on trial at Moorhead, brought in a verdict for \$600 in favor of the plaintiff. The case grew out of a collision between a street car and a milk wagon.

FARGO, N. D.—After charging the grand jury, Judge Munger of Omaha, who is presiding at the term of the United States court here, took up the trial of the case of Lee & Fowler vs. the Tri-State Telephone company. The attorneys sue for a sum for making the preliminary legal arrangements for the company to enter this state. There are fourteen civil actions and the grand jury is expected to develop several criminal cases.

BOLT KILLS PEDESTRIAN

NEW HAMPTON, Iowa, May 28.—Pat Brannon, a prominent and respected farmer living east of town, was killed by lightning Tuesday night. He was returning from the home of a neighbor when lightning struck a fence near which he was walking. He was found some time later by his wife, who had become anxious on account of his staying so long and went to look for him.

KILLED BY 40-FOOT FALL

WATERLOO, Iowa, May 28.—While climbing a tree from which he expected to shoot birds, Gus Klutz lost his hold and fell forty feet, sustaining injuries that caused his death half an hour later. Klutz was twenty-two years old and lived in Fredericksburg, where the accident occurred.

DISTURBED THE CONGREGATION

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. O. T. Erhart's.

TRAIN KILLS DEAF MAN

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa, May 28.—Alec Tow, aged 68 years, was struck and instantly killed by a Milwaukee passenger train near Dunbar Tuesday night. He was deaf and did not hear the train coming.

DAILY MARKETS

PATTEN-ARMOUR BATTLE HOTTER

MAY WHEAT REACHES \$1.09 1-2 AND MAY CORN 82

CATTLE AND HOGS ADVANCE

GO 10 HIGHER BUT SHEEP ARE VERY INACTIVE

WALL STREET GETS BETTER

Leading Stock Issues Make Substantial Gains in First Hour—Reaction Checked

CHICAGO, May 28.—May corn jumped to 82 cents today and May wheat to \$1.09 1-2 when the struggle between J. A. Patten and J. Ogden Armour entered on its closing chapter. The short who have been caught by Patten's big corn deal scrambled wildly in efforts to buy enough to cover their contracts. The shorts have only until closing time tomorrow to settle and bought every bushel of corn offered. One house dumped 50,000 bushels of corn on the market when the price reached 82c.

The rise in wheat was not accompanied by fireworks, as the offerings were few. Armour is conceded to have the May wheat shorts at his mercy.

Cattle and Hogs Up
CHICAGO, May 28.—Cattle and hogs each climbed 10 today with light receipts, but sheep were very weak.

Cattle, 2,000; beefs, \$6 to \$7.25; stockers, \$3.30 to \$5.35.
Hogs, 14,000; light, \$5.25 to \$5.55; heavy, \$5.35 to \$5.60; pigs, \$4.30 to \$5.70.
Sheep, 11,000; natives, \$3.50 to \$5.25; lambs, \$4 to \$6.70.

Poultry, Dairy, Etc.
NEW YORK, May 28.—Poultry, unchanged.

Butter, creamery, 22 1-2c.
Eggs, nearby white, 19c.
Cheese, 14 3-4c.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, May 28.—Cattle, 3,000; ten cents higher; steers, \$5 to \$7.25; stockers, \$3.25 to \$5.50.
Hogs, 10,000; 5 to 10 cents higher; bulk, \$5.30 to \$5.50; pigs, \$4.00 to \$4.50.

Sheep, 5,000; strong; muttons, \$4 to \$4.50; lambs, \$5.25 to \$6.35.

Wall Street Revives

NEW YORK, May 28.—The market ruled generally strong all through the first hour. In the first half hour prices advanced from 1 to 2 points in nearly all active issues. The only prominent exception was American Smelting, Northern Pacific and Great Northern. St. Paul made gains of over a point and American ice advanced to 29 1-2. Government bonds were unchanged; others irregular.

(By Miner & Co.)
Chicago Markets.
Open High Low Close

WHEAT.
May ... 107 109 106 109
July ... 91 92 90 90 1/2

CORN.
May ... 80 82 80 82 1/2
July ... 68 68 67 67 1/2

OATS.
May ... 56 56 55 56 1/2
July ... 48 48 47 47 1/2

PORK.
May ... 13.75 13.75 13.65 13.65
July ... 13.65

Minneapolis Markets.
WHEAT.
May ... 107 109 108 108
July ... 107 107 106 106 1/2

TODAY'S GRAIN GOSSIP

CROP CONDITIONS.
Springfield, Mo.—The writer just back from a two days' trip, most of it in a buggy in southwest Missouri, and we found miles and miles of wheat that want make 5 bu. to the acre; some of the upland wheat looks pretty good but this is in minority.

Kalb wires this morning from Harper, Kansas: Summer county badly fly damaged though better than last year. Harper county wheat looks fine from the road but badly fly infested. Damage will show up in week or so; damage will be serious.

Freeburg, Ill.—Heavy rain again today and no corn planted here; will be several days before farmers can go in the fields with favorable weather.

"Collar them clogs, Bill," whispered the burglar to his mate. "No, blooming fear," came the surprising reply. "Look 'ere, there's some writing on the lid of the box." And Bill offered fervent thanks for his deliverance as he read the inscription: "To my dear husband, wishing him many happy returns, from his loving wife."

MANY CHANGES IN MARKET PRICES

VEGETABLE PRICES ALTERED CONSIDERABLY TODAY

CHEESE PRICES ARE LOWER

Fruits and Vegetables Show Big Decline as the Season Advances

This seems to be the busy day on the local markets for there are changes galore. Cucumbers have dropped to 30 and 60 cents, new potatoes to \$1.50 per bushel; navel oranges are worth \$3.50 a box; seedlings have risen to \$3.25 and \$3.50; lemons are worth \$3.25 and \$3.50; onions sell for \$1.60 and \$1.75 a crate; strawberries have fallen off to \$2.25 and \$2.75 a case; new cabbage has come up to \$2.25 per crate. A big reduction is also noted in cheese.

(Quoted by John C. Burris)
Cucumbers, dozen . . . \$0.30 to 60c
New potatoes, bushel . . . \$1.50
Apples, N. Y. Bld., bl . . . \$4.00

The PURE FOOD

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PARK
ROLLER
RINK
Fifth Street

Grandest food
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Hand-
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Opera House
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furnish music
at both ses-
sions

Afternoon & Evening

Free Samples and Sou-
venirs Galore.

Ask your Grocer for a
Ticket

WISCONSIN NEWS

DAVIDSON WILL ACCEPT IT AGAIN

ACCEPTS MILWAUKEE PETITION
URGING HIM TO RUN

DECLARATION IS VERY BRIEF

But He Pledges a Faithful, Economi-
cal Execution of Laws—Thanks
People for Proffering Support

MADISON, Wis., May 28.—(Spe-
cial.)—In reply to a petition of Mil-
waukee citizens inviting him to be a
candidate for re-election, Gov. Da-
vidson has replied in a letter made
public this morning, that he will ac-
cept the call. He proposes to ad-
vance the reforms needed to safe-
guard the rights of every citizen,
and will enforce the most rigid
economy compatible with good gov-
ernment.

The petition from Milwaukee com-
menting the governor upon his econ-
omical administration is signed by
nearly 200 representative business
men, including T. J. Peres, T. J.
Nease, E. C. Winkler, Dr. J. M. Bep-
fel, Theo. Zillmer, James J. Illsley,
John T. Kelley, C. F. Pullen, Theo-
dore Kronshage, F. C. Lorenz, Lu-
cian R. Worden, H. P. Myrick, E. T.
Fairchild, and many others.

Letter of the Governor.
The letter of the governor follows:
"Madison, Wis., May 26, 1903.
"Gentlemen:

"I am in receipt of your communi-
cation of May 25 in which you gen-
erously endorse my administration
of the past, and request me to stand
as a candidate for re-election.

"I thank you sincerely for this
expression of confidence and proffer
of support, and accept your call to
become a candidate for governor,
supplemented, as it is, by similar re-
quests from many other places in
the state.

"Should the people elect me for
another term, it will be my steadfast
endeavor to serve them with fidel-
ity. Whatever of ability and experi-
ence I possess will be used to ad-
vance the reforms that are needed
to safeguard the rights of every cit-
izen. It will be my purpose to en-
force the most rigid economy com-
patible with good government, and
execute the laws of the state with-
out prejudice or partiality.

"Sincerely yours,
"JAMES O. DAVIDSON."

Praise Davidson's Administration.

The petition asking the governor
to be a candidate simply crystallizes
a general sentiment. Scores of let-
ters are received daily from all sec-
tions of the state demanding that
the governor again be a candidate.

The following is the Milwaukee pe-
tition follows:

"To the Hon. James O. Davidson:

"Because of the able, honest and
efficient manner in which you have
for more than two years adminis-
tered the duties of your high office;
because of the desirability of retain-
ing at the head of our state govern-
ment one already familiar with the
duties of that office and especially
the details of the work of construct-
ing the new state capitol building,
involving, as it does, an expendi-
ture of millions of the people's mon-
ey; and because we believe you are
best fitted to enforce and continue
the progressive policies which have
distinguished the conduct of public
affairs in this state in recent years;
We, the undersigned, citizens of Mil-
waukee, hereby respectfully request
you to become a candidate for the
republican nomination to the office
you now hold and we pledge you our
support."

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

NEENAH—The members of the
Foxgrover family say there is no
truth in the report that the family
consisted of thirteen and that a num-
ber of them met with violent deaths.

APPLETON—Notes, certificates of
deposit, deeds, and other papers of
value, stolen from the safe at the
E. A. Graef store at Hortonville about
a week ago when the safe was crack-
ed and \$600 in cash stolen, were
found hidden in a log alongside of
the road between Hortonville and
New London. G. F. Adams, arrested
some days ago at Stevens Point, is in
jail here accused of complicity in the
cracking of the Hortonville safe.

APPLETON—A considerable num-
ber of Oshkosh and Fox river valley
men came to Appleton to call upon J.
H. Weed, the occasion being the
eighty-eighth anniversary of his birth.
Mr. Weed is one of the oldest and
best known lumbermen in Wisconsin.
He has retired from active business.

APPLETON—Clarence Rogers and
Albert Schultz narrowly escaped
death in an acid vat at the plant of
the Interlake Pulp and Paper com-
pany. Both were seriously burned
with the acid and steam.

BELOIT—Burglars made an un-
successful attempt to blow open the
vault of the Exchange bank at Ros-
coe, Ill., near here.

SUPERIOR—T. J. Roth cashed a
check for \$24 which proved worth-
less.

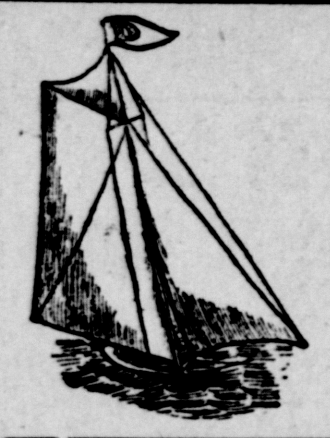
EAU CLAIRE—Israel Rabliard,
aged 40 years, has been sentenced to
two years at Waupun. Little 14 year
old Isaac Smith was the complainant.

FREDERIC—Lightning struck
Louis Sund's store at Clam Falls,
causing a loss of \$20,000.

EVANSVILLE—The Rock county
fair will be held in Evansville Sept.
1, 2, 3 and 4. A baseball game each
day will be one of the features. Good
racing and other track attractions
have been secured.

BELOIT—The ninth annual con-
vention of the Wisconsin branch of
the National Association of Letter
Carriers will be held in this city on
May 30. A banquet will be given at
night.

SATURDAY — MEMORIAL DAY—This Store Will Close at NOON—12:30—for the Exercises In Commemoration Of Our Fallen Heroes
Who Died That Our Country Might Live. The Store Will Re-open at 7 P. M. to Accommodate Saturday Evening Shoppers.



BARGAINS EXTRAORDINARY FOR
TOMORROW--16th WEEKLY
CHALLENGE SALE!



A BIG CARNIVAL OF BARGAINS ALL OVER THE STORE TOMORROW COOL CLOTHING--EVERYTHING FOR THE HOME--HELPS TO SUMMER COMFORT INDOORS AND OUT-OF-DOORS

THE GREAT MAY SALE OF WHITE IS NEARING THE TAPE---COMING HARD DOWN THE "HOME STRETCH!"

Some muslin underwear sales are like those fragile "Prince Rupert's drops of glass," "which cool quickly as soon as made," and which fly to pieces as soon as any portion is taken away. Doerflinger May muslin underwear sales are planned for two weeks of exceptionally good buying. The end draws near—it closes Saturday night—but the last few days bring to light reserve bargains that are too important to miss—too many to print, come tomorrow and see them spread out all thru the big second floor Undermuslin Salons.

20 Lucky La Crosse House- wives Will Get These Rugs

20 Matting Rugs, size 9x12 feet,
made of good cotton warp, Japanese
matting, mark to sell at
less than half price \$3.98

(Third Floor.)

"Wizard" Carpet Cleaner

The Housekeeper's Boon

A sanitary preparation for use when
sweeping. It removes dust from your
carpets, rugs, linoleums and floors,
prevents dust from rising into the
air to settle again on your carpets,
furniture or pictures.

It saves time and labor of the
housewife spent usually in dusting,
scrubbing and mopping. Brightens
the colors in your rugs and carpets,
and prolongs the life and preserves
the lustre of linoleums and oil
cloths. It contains a powerful dis-
infectant that absolutely kills dis-
ease germs and renders perfectly
pure the air of the room where used.
So simple a child may use it with
best results. Cost is trifling.

2 lb. Packages at . . . 15c

5 lb. Packages at . . . 33c

Basement Housekeepers' Exchange.



A Wonderful Sale of Wom- en's Shoes at 98c.

First Floor

Women's canvas oxfords, plain toes
and tips, white and leather heels,
black oxfords in vic kid, light weight
and extension soles, patent tips, house
slippers in plain toes, low heels, one
strap, at
pair 98c

Misses' vic kid lace oxfords, patent
tips, extension soles, sizes
8 1/2 to 2, at pair 98c

Full line of men's, women's, boys'
and children's tennis shoes and ox-
fords in brown and black,
values pair at 50c to 85c



SMART SUITS FOR SWAGGER FELLOWS

AT LESS THAN "CLOTHING HOUSES" SELL
FOR

Quality for quality. Among tomorrow's special
offerings for men who want something swell and
dressty to wear on Memorial Day we note the fol-
lowing. The values are remarkable.

2nd Floor.

Men's Trousers

Men's \$1.50 hair line striped
trousers in dark
grey. Special \$1.19

Men's high grade trousers in
worsted, cassimeres and che-
viots, dark and light patterns;
full peg, medium or regular
style. Values to
\$4; special \$2.98

Lightweight summer outing
suits, light colors, in stripe,
checks and plaids; coats half
lined, padded shoulders, hair
cloth fronts; trousers medium
peg top, belt loops, side bu-
ckles, with or without cuffs.
Every suit guaran-
teed. Special at \$5.95

A special lot of men's suits in
new, stylish patterns, single or
double-breasted, dark and light
grey or plain black and blue.
Values to
\$12.50, at \$8.95

A TIMELY AND SURPASSING SALE OF WOMEN'S JACKETS

Special \$10.00

2nd Floor Salons of Dress:

The accompanying sketch represents that

"Wooltex" Jacket

You see advertised in all the leading Fashion Magazines—they
are made of fine all wool black Panama cloth and lined through-
out with guaranteed satin or Taffeta silk, beautifully tailored
with perfect lines. A most useful adjunct to any
woman's wardrobe. All sizes, 34
to 44, special at \$10

DUST AND RAIN PROOF COATS in a great variety of styles and
materials SELLING AT REDUCED PRICES very useful and styl-
ish for Auto or Traveling
wear, prices ranged from
\$4.98 to \$35.00



Smart Walking Jacket \$10.

That Surpassing Display of

WOMEN'S SHIRT WAISTS In The Main Street Windows At 98c.

Is duplicated and outdone by the convention offered on special sale
in the second floor salons. There you will find astonishing val-
ues in ladies' dainty cool and pretty
\$1.50 summer shirt waists 98c

What woman has too many shirt-waists for the hot days ahead?
Friday's offering embraces hundreds of dainty new waists—chic
and charming creations of beautiful white India linen. All this
season's models and best regular \$1.50 values. As a "filler" to-
morrow, all ready, cool and
dainty for women to slip into—at 98c

(2nd Floor Salons.)



FISHING SEASON ON FULL BLAST

MOST EVERYTHING BUT BASS
CAN BE CAUGHT

ARE NO OTHER EXCEPTIONS

State Game Warden Stone Summa-
rizes Exceptions to Fish Laws
and They are Few

MADISON, Wis., May 28.—(Spe-
cial.)—"With but a very few excep-
tions, all fish except bass can be
caught at the present time," said
State Game Warden J. W. Stone to-
day. "The open season for bass will
not be until June 10."

Mr. Stone summarizes the excep-
tions to the fish laws as follows:

In Devil's lake in Sauk county the
closed season for all fish shall be
from December 15 until June 15. No
fish can be caught in this lake for
over two weeks yet. The same sea-
son applies to Mirror lake and Dells
creek in Sauk county.
No fish can be caught in Lake de

Neveu, Fond du Lac county, with the
exception of carp, until June 10.

Bass of any variety cannot be
caught in Big Green lake, Green Lake
county, until July 1.

In lakes Winnebago, Winneconne,
Butte des Morts, Little Butte des
Morts, Poygan and those parts of
the Fox and Wolf rivers which con-
nect these lakes and the big Wolf
river up to the dam at Shawano, there
shall be no closed season, except for
sturgeon and black, yellow and Os-
wego bass. The season for these
fish shall be open June 10.

"So far as I am now aware these
are all of the exceptions in the Wis-
consin acts for fishing," said Mr.
Stone. "All other fish can now be
caught."

More News from the New England
States

If any one has any doubt as to the
virtue of Foley's Kidney Cure, they
need only refer to Mr. Alvin H.
Stimpson, of Williamette, Conn., who,
after almost losing hope of recovery,
on account of the failure of so many
remedies, finally tried Foley's Kid-
ney Cure, which he says was "just
the thing" for him, as four bottles
cured him completely. He is now
entirely well and free from all the
suffering incident to acute kidney
trouble. O. T. Erhart.

TO FIGHT THE FROST LINE.

KENOSHA, Wis., May 28.—All
efforts to settle differences between

Kenosha property owners and A. C.
Frost, president of the Kenosha
Electric railway company and the
Chicago and Milwaukee Electric
Electric railway company have been
in vain and a resort to the courts
is promised. The property owners
are threatening to enjoin the rail-
way company from operating cars in
the city until they have received all
the public improvements provided
for in the extension ordinances re-
cently granted. It is declared that
the city council will be enjoined from
passing any ordinance for the ex-
tension of the time for the company
to complete the tracks in the city.

EAU CLAIRE HAS
A DOG SCARE

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 28.—Ex-
citement was caused when a dog be-
longing to Alfred Cypransen went
mad and began attacking all the other
dogs in sight. A number of men
went after the crazed animal with
clubs and other weapons and finally
drove it into Mr. Cypransen's cellar,
where it was corralled with the as-
sistance of some ropes and tied up to
await a possible recovery.

MADISON SOCIETY
WOMAN IS INSANE

MADISON, Wis., May 28.—Mrs.
Hedwig Presber, aged 45 years, and

wife of a German army officer, said
to be military advisor to the em-
peror of Germany, has been commit-
ted to the state hospital for the in-
sane at Mendota. Mrs. Presber came
here several years ago. She enter-
tained all the local professors who
had gone to school in Germany, as
well as many notables from that
country who visited the state. Her
entertainments were the talk of the
town because of the extravagance.

HOUSE FALLS ON
FOUR LABORERS

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 28.—
By the collapse of supports under a
house under which they were pre-
paring to lay a foundation, Ira J.
Swartz, aged 39, married, was in-
stantly killed, his neck being broken;

C. R. Johnson, aged 39, married, was
dangerously injured, and John Mo-
narski, aged 55, and Frank Monarski,
his son, were badly injured. Geo.
W. Williams, the owner of the house,
was standing beside Swartz when the
house went down, but did not re-
ceive a scratch.

PERPETUAL MOTION
HAS BEEN SOLVED

MARINETTE, Wis., May 28.—Ac-
cording to statements made by Ar-
thur Duhaime, a Marinette inventor,
the secret of perpetual motion has

A Rousing Quartette of Main Floor Bargains.

Steel filled girdles, good quality be-
tiste, well
made, at 25c

\$1.00 bottle Hood's Sarsa-
parilla at 79c

20c Turkey Red Table
Linen at 14c

Martha Washington Turkey Red
Handkerchiefs, fast color,
worth 5c, at each 3c

Ribbons

Wonderful Values 9c

First Floor

Pure silk taffeta ribbon, 3 and 1-2
in. wide, all leading colors, scarlet,
pink, blue, navy, brown, black
and white, mark to sell at yard . . 9c

Pillow Covers, for Couch
Cushions 19c

Needle Art Section, 1st Floor.

Oriental striped pillow cases with
tassels at corners, beautiful bright
colorings, sold regularly
at 25c, special 19c

Basement Economies

For Women Economists

7c Calicoes in red, pink, black and
white or light grounds and
grey, at yard 5c

Women's bleached Knit
Pants, at pair 15c

Women's 10c Knit
Vests, at 7c

Savings to Grocery Buyers

Basement

IXL Laundry Starch, quick to polish,
easy to work, no cooking re-
quired, the package. 6c

Chocolate, Regal Premium, excellent
for baking, one-half
pound cake 14c

Prunes—New California,
the pound 4c

Dates—New San,
the pound 5c

Raisins, choice seeded Snow Point
brand, packed by Silma Fruit
Co., 16 oz. package 10c

Dress Stuffs: Save!

Main Floor.

10 pieces Madras cloth, 36 inches
wide, striped patterns, regu-
lar value 19c, special yard . . . 10c

20 pieces dress goods in grey, 36
inches wide, splendid
25c value, at yard 11c

been solved by himself and he has
produced a machine which he claims
will revolutionize modern methods
of power.

Mr. Duhaime is reticent regarding
the features of his invention. He
says he has been devoting all his
spare time for the last fifteen years
to the construction of the motor and
says it will run with absolutely no
force of any kind to keep it in mo-
tion, but the force generated by it-
self.

Marriage is a failure only when
one or both parties to it are failures.

"They do say" that

Post
Toasties

have a flavour not ap-
proached by any other
food.

"The Taste Lingers."

Made by

Postum Cereal Company, Limited,
Battle Creek, Mich.

THE WEATHER
Showers and thunder-
storms tonight; Fri-
day fair and cool

The La Crosse Tribune

The Tribune is the pa-
per the public can
depend on for a
fair statement of
the news

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LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN, THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1908

PRICE TWO CENTS

SENATE DEALING WITH EMERGENCY CURRENCY TODAY

HOUSE PASSED PATCHED UP
BILL YESTERDAY

IT MAKES RY. STOCKS O. K.

FEATURE KILLED BY LA FOL-
LETTE AGAIN INCORPORATED

TURN LA FOLLETTE DOWN

Democrats Refuse Filibuster Plan—
Publicity May Pass, Says Ald-
rich Answering Question

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—A patchwork emergency currency bill passed the house yesterday by a vote of 166 to 140. It will be taken up in the senate tomorrow for passage. Opposition in the senate will be led by Senators La Follette and Culberson. It is not thought that a filibuster will be organized with a view to effect its final defeat.

No Senate Filibuster.
The democratic senators at a conference this morning decided they would not filibuster against the passage of the currency bill. There will be a discussion of the measure to

LA FOLLETTE CHAMPION
OF THE TELEGRAPHERS.
WASHINGTON, May 28.—The senate today adopted a resolution introduced by Senator La Follette instructing the secretary of commerce and labor to investigate all telegraph and telephone companies, their methods of transacting business, wages paid, and other details. The inquiry is to cover a period of five years. La Follette referred to the inconvenience caused by the last strike of the telegraphers and said another strike was imminent. It was notorious, he said, that the operators are greatly underpaid. An investigation at this time, he said, might avoid a serious strike.

enable them to set forth their opposition to the bill, but they will be brief, and final adjournment, they think, may be had tomorrow night or Saturday.

La Follette Plan Fails
One of the interesting features of the democratic conference was the consideration of a proposition which, it is said, was made by Senator La Follette, which was to the effect that if the democrats would make a fight to kill the bill and would lend him the assistance of one man, he would undertake to talk the bill to death. La Follette is said, declared that in carrying out this program he would be willing to take either the day or night session as his part of the design. The democratic senators, however, declined to enter into any such "tagging alliance."

Senate Takes Action
This afternoon the senate began consideration of the conference report. Aldrich said the only provisions that had not received consideration by the senate were those relating to taxation, limitation on the life of the bill, amount of redemption fund, formation of a national currency association and the acceptance of commercial paper as a basis for emergency circulation. He said the redemption was superior to the existing law.

May Pass Publicity Bill
Culberson inquired whether there was any probability of passing the anti-injunction bill, either here or in the house. Aldrich said that, speaking for himself, it seemed absolutely impossible to enact such legislation this session. This is due to wide differences of opinion relating to the measure. The passage of such a bill, he said, would require congress to remain in session for months. Culberson then asked whether any campaign publicity legislation may be expected at this session. Aldrich said he had no objection to voting on the McCall bill this afternoon, or any time.

Senator Aldrich won out in the conference held by the republicans on currency legislation. The principles of the Vreeland bill are subordinated to the Aldrich plan in the compromise agreed upon. In addition Senator Aldrich embodied in the bill as it passed the house a provision under which emergency currency may be taken out on railroad or other industrial bonds, as part of the assets of a bank.

Terms of the Bill
The compromise bill, after providing for the organization of national currency associations by national banks along lines laid down in the Vreeland bill, provides that the reserve required to be retained in central reserve and reserve cities is 10 per cent straight. A redemption fund of 10 per cent instead of 5 per cent.

HE WILL BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE REPUBLICAN RE NOMINATION



Governor James O. Davidson, who today announces his candidacy for renomination in the republican primaries, briefly alluding in his statement to the policies for which he stands.

FAILED TO SELL THE CENTRAL OUT TODAY

The adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Central Electric company, called for the purpose of "selling the property of the company," was not held today. Neither Mr. Rose nor President McMillan appeared, nor did their lawyers or any representatives of the principals "show up." Neither could any of them be found this afternoon. It was stated, however, that up to this time no settlement had been reached between the factions.

MABELLE WAS A HOT LOVER—SEE LETTERS

CLINTON, Ill., May 28.—The letters of Mabelle Snell McNamara, introduced in evidence, are "too hot to handle" in newspapers—passing through the mails, and have been expurgated for publication. They were so "strong" as to shock the court, who ordered many of them given to the jury as documentary evidence without their being read in court. Following are mild and fully expurgated examples of the fervid correspondence.

Best Letter Ever.
The letter, which was indorsed by the old millionaire as "the best letter I ever received," reads in part: "Dearest, you know it has been a long time since you were here. Are you never coming out again? I have been telling you that Walter has been down to see me several times, but I always tell him I am a lady. If it was not for you, it might be different, but you know I have promised never to marry or do anything else much until after your death. My mother knows what we do and I won't make any difference at all. I see Mr. Snell every once in a while. Don't forget to bring a nice check along."

Letters Expurgated.
Another letter from Mabelle, with the objectionable parts eliminated, reads as follows: "Sweetest darling: Years have passed since I saw you—at any rate, it seems hardly possible that it is only a few days since we were together. Time hangs so heavy when I am not with you to enjoy your smiles and see your love for me."

"Now, darling, I am sorry I have to speak of other matters just now, but you know love won't pay for bread or buy good clothes. I need both—more of latter than former. I want the clothes, because it makes you happy to see me dressed well. It takes hard dollars to be dressed well, and you, dearie, are to provide them. It will take \$500 at least to buy the things that I want—perhaps more. "Now, don't fail me, dearest. Remember my position; send it. Thousands of sweetest kisses, hugs and lots more, from your own "BABY."

UNITED TO DEFEAT CITY?
BOSTON, May 28.—Six of the leading officials of as many boiler-making plants and structural iron works here were arrested by police inspectors yesterday, charged with conspiracy to defraud the city of Boston.

AYLWARD TO LEAD BADGER DEMOCRATS

JOHN C. BURNS PREDICTS HE
WILL BE CANDIDATE

SENTIMENT STRONG FOR HIM

Madisonian Is Reticent, but Talks
With Many State Leaders Point
to His Nomination

"John A. Aylward, of Madison, is pretty certain to head the democratic ticket in this state this fall," So says John C. Burns, district delegate to the democratic national convention, who believes Mr. Aylward is possessed of a constructive statesmanship necessary to establishing the party in the confidence of the people. Mr. Burns draws his conclusions as to Aylward's candidacy from talks he had with leaders from various parts of the state at the time of Mr. Bryan's recent visit to Madison.

"There is a lot of sentiment for Aylward," said Mr. Burns. "I believe he is recognized by the democratic leaders in Wisconsin as an able and progressive man, clean and strong, and that the majority of them desire to see him nominated. Indeed, so far has sentiment developed that during my stay in Madison there was earnest talk of sending a delegation to solicit his consent to run then and there. That this was not done, I believe, was due to the reticence of Mr. Aylward about the subject."

"However, I am convinced Mr. Aylward will accept. His reserve, I take it, was due to a feeling that he should not encourage any movement unless satisfied the sentiment for him was state wide and undisputed. Aylward, I believe, would feel honored to head the state ticket, but he wants to be the choice of the solid democracy before committing himself. He probably comes nearer being the unanimous choice than any other man, and I am satisfied from a chat I had with him that as soon as he is convinced of it he will permit his name to be used."

GEN. STEPHEN D. LEE DIES AT VICKSBURG

VICKSBURG, Miss., May 28.—Gen. Stephen D. Lee, commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans, the surviving general last serving a general of the confederacy, is dead here. Lee had been ill for several days. He was attacked with indigestion, but grew rapidly weaker, passing away early today.
Lee was born in Charleston, S. C. Sept. 22nd, 1832. He was educated at West Point; graduated in 1854. He served as first lieutenant of artillery until the outbreak of the war. His first commission in the Confederate army was as captain, from which he rose to the rank of lieutenant general, and saw much active fighting in the second battle of Bull Run, the Vicksburg campaign, and the battles about Richmond. At Chickasaw Bayou he commanded the army which defeated Sherman. After the war he settled as a planter in Mississippi; he became state senator in 1870; served the state in the United States senate, was a member of the Mississippi constitutional convention in 1890, helped shape the state's revised constitution; was elected commander of the veterans in 1904.

Lee will be succeeded as commander-in-chief by General Clement Evans, an associate justice of the Georgia supreme court.

WIDOW DIDN'T LOVE HIM
ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 28.—Wrongly believing himself to be the man for love of whom Mrs. Grace Jackson, a young widow, attempted suicide yesterday, L. F. Feager, soldier committed suicide today. Mrs. Jackson declared that while she was on friendly terms with Feager he was not the man she loved.

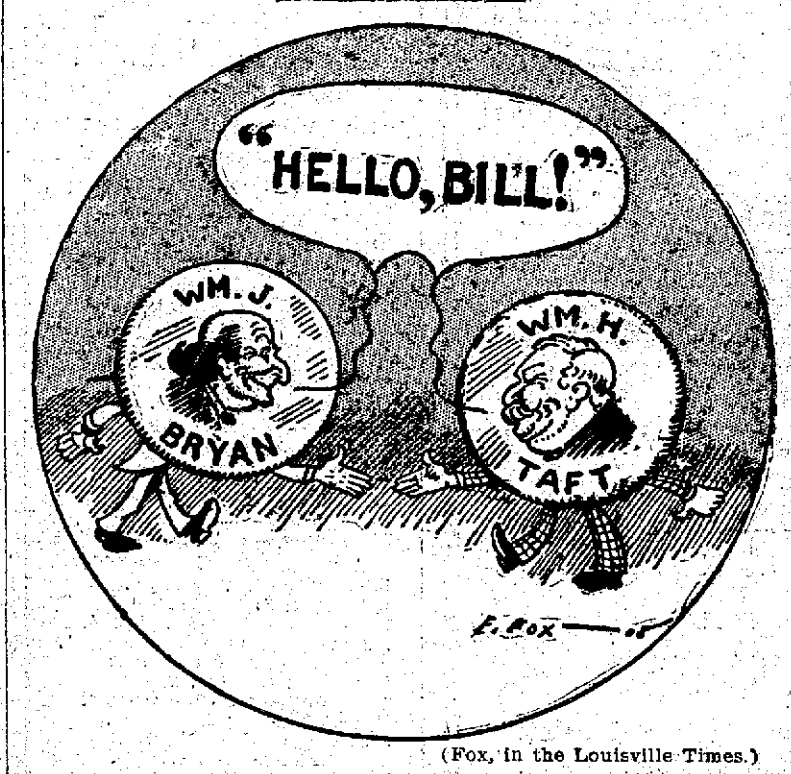
SPEND YOUR MONEY

Where it will bring the most for it. There are many opportunities in today's advertisements that will interest you. Here are a few:

\$2.00 Hat free with a purchase of a suit of clothes at \$12.50 or over.
65c Dress Goods at 49c.
15c Towels at 9c.
\$1.50 Shirt Waists at 98c.
19c Madras Cloth at 10c.
0x12 Japanese Mat Rugs \$3.98
8 day Mantel Clocks \$2.90.

READ THE WANT ADS.

"WHEN THE CAMPAIGN BUTTONS MEET"



(Fox, in the Louisville Times.)

"RACE SUICIDE" IS MINISTER'S PACT

AGREED WITH FIANCEE AND
TOLD COURT SO

POSTMISTRESS OPENED MAIL

Case Before U. S. Commissioner Reveals Secret Marriage—Girls Congratulate Pastor

CHICAGO, May 28.—A series of sensations were furnished today in a hearing before United States Commissioner Foote of the case of Rev. Charles E. Havenor, of Grays Lake, Ill., who accuses Miss Anna Whitmore, postmistress there, of opening letters from his fiancée, Miss Mary Calvin, of Fort Wayne, Ind. The first sensation was furnished by the minister himself when he declared on the stand that he and Miss Calvin had been quietly married May 19th. The other sensation was the revelation by the minister of a "race suicide" pact between himself and fiancée several months ago. Havenor was given a grueling examination. He told of repeated reports that came to him involving the reputations of prominent persons in the village. The attorney for defense asked if he hadn't admitted being a liar, and wasn't now in fact a liar. The minister leaped out of the witness chair as he shouted, "No," and invited the attorney to "argue the matter with him somewhere else."

The minister admitted he had written his fiancée and proposed the "race suicide" pact. He said he did so from a bible standpoint. The bible, he declared, it is a sin to bring children into the world who couldn't be properly cared for. Besides, his fiancée wanted to study music. He said the letters on this subject were what led him to make the charges against the postmistress, as no one but the person who opened the letters could have known of the agreement.

A score of young women crowded around and congratulated Rev. Havenor when he left the stand.
Mrs. Havenor, when called, corroborated the minister's testimony. She said she had destroyed her letters from the minister but testified that they discussed the future of herself and of him.

SAYS THINGS LOOK GOOD FOR TAFT

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—The president held a conference today with A. I. Vorys, of Columbus, and Frank Hitchcock, Secretary Taft's campaign manager. Afterward Vorys said he would leave for Columbus and Chicago tomorrow to open headquarters. Vorys said the outlook for Taft's nomination was satisfactory and expressed himself as satisfied with the selection of John R. Maller as secretary of the convention. "Maller is for Taft," said Vorys. "In spite of all rumors to the contrary." He said the nominating speaker had not been selected, and denied Senator Dolliver had been invited to perform the service.

G. O. P. HAS MANY CONTESTS

CHICAGO, May 28.—The seats of about one-fifth of the delegates to the republican national convention will be contested. The time limit for mailing notices of the contest expired at midnight and at noon Secretary Dover had contests involving 174 seats.

FITZGERALD GAVE G. O. P. CROWD FITS

NEW YORK CONGRESSMAN SAYS
PARTY IS WASTEFUL

BEATS CIVIL WAR RECORD

Appropriations for 1906-9 Exceeded Those of 1862-5—Vim Tawney Is Praised

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—From the democratic point of view this country is likely to go to the demitition bowwows, as a result of the "lavish, unnecessary, injudicious and coercive" appropriation of over a billion dollars at this session of congress.
Just as the house was ready to adjourn today, Representative Fitzgerald, of New York, the leading democratic member of the committee on appropriations, made a speech which probably will become a classic at the democratic rallies this fall, denouncing republican extravagance. He placed the total for the next fiscal year at \$1,008,804,894.57.

"Never, but once before in our history did our expenditures reach the thousand million mark," he exclaimed. "For the fiscal year of 1865, when the country was in the throes of civil war, the expenditures aggregated \$1,309,655,448."
The New Yorker paid a glowing tribute to Representative Tawney of Winona, Minn., and spoke of the lack of support Tawney received from his party associates.

"An impartial review of the facts," he continued, "firmly establishes the conviction that the repeated warnings of Chairman Tawney that there will be a deficit of \$150,000,000 in the coming fiscal year, is conservative rather than extravagant."

During the years 1906 to 1909, he said, \$3,428,809,371 had been appropriated, while during four years of 1862-1865 the total expenditure was only \$2,394,320,931. "The country is at peace," he shouted, "and no danger threatens us from aggressive foreign foes. There is no menace to peace and security from revolution or domestic disturbances. These stupendous expenditures are unjustifiable, indefensible. They result in piling high the burdens which will oppress the people for many years."

CHARLIE TUCHEK BURNED IN SMELTER

A telegram received here today announces the shocking death of Charles Tuckek, a well known La Crosse boy, at Winthrop, Cal., yesterday. Though details are lacking the young man was burned in the smelter, where he was employed, in the morning, and death came to relieve his sufferings last evening.
Mr. Tuckek was a young man, unmarried, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tuckek, 602 North Fifteenth street. The body will be brought to La Crosse for burial.

WINONA VISITOR
HURT AT BASEBALL

A peculiar accident happened to John Hahn, foreman of the Chicago & Northwestern machine shops of Winona, Minn. While playing ball with his 8-year-old son in his father-in-law's yard, while here on a visit, he sprained his ankle and dislocated his shoulder. He will be laid up for some time.

PULP AND PAPER COMMITTEE SAYS TARIFF IS RIGHT

REPUBLICAN MEMBERS UNFA-
VORABLE TO REVISION

THE DEMOCRATS DISSENT

FILE REPORT IN WHICH THEY
URGE STEVENS BILL

THE ACTION WAS EXPECTED

Committee Known to Be Made Up
of Stand-patters Who Would
Hold Up All Action

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 21.—"As the present price of paper would not to any considerable degree be immediately affected by a repeal of the tariff, and as the passage of the Stevens bill in its present form might spell ruin to the paper industry and result in ruinously high prices for paper in the near future, your committee believes in the part of wisdom, before making recommendations for positive legislation, to await until its investigation has been completed (next session) and thoroughly digested."—Report of the republican members of the print paper committee.
"We find that the revenues derived from import duties on wood pulp and printing paper are so small, and the benefits to be obtained from the abolition of those duties are so considerable, that we urge the placing of wood pulp and printing paper on the free list; we believe relief from existing conditions can be fully and promptly secured only by the immediate consideration and passage of the Stevens bill."—Report of the democratic members of the print paper committee.

These are the conclusions of the majority and minority members of the select house committee appointed a few weeks ago to investigate the price of printing paper. Chairman Mann, of Illinois, laid the report before the house today. The republicans allege the evidence shows that the upward price of print paper reached its limit several months ago and that the present tendency is downward. They suggest a treaty between the United States and Canada whereby the spruce forests of Canada and the water power development of the United States can profitably and economically be used together in the production of print paper at low prices, but they say the Stevens bill is not considered "wise" at this time.

TEDDY SIGNS COAL RESERVE BILL

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—President Roosevelt today signed the bill for the encouragement and development of coal deposits in Alaska, and made public a letter written to him on the subject by Secretary Garfield. The bill is supposed to protect coal deposits in the territory from the monopolists. It is further expected to guarantee a sufficient supply of coal for the use of the navy for generations to come. Garfield's letter declared emphatically in favor of the bill and advised the president to approve it.

Weather and Water



Coolest in La Crosse, 55; warmest, 78; wind, 4 miles; rainfall, .66 inch. Extremes in United States: Modena, 32; Washington, 95.

The river will continue to rise. Stage of water, 9.2; a rise of .4 of a foot.

Forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Showers and thunderstorms tonight and Friday; cooler Friday and in west portion tonight. Minnesota—Partly cloudy and cooler tonight with showers in east portion; Friday fair.

Iowa—Showers and thunderstorms and cooler tonight; Friday partly cloudy with cooler in east portion.

5c—5c MAJESTIC ELECTRIC THEATRE

FORMERLY THE GRAND THEATRE
OPPOSITE BIJOU NEXT TO GANTERT'S
The Greatest of All Moving Pictures Beautifully Colored

BICYCLE IMPOSSIBLE

You will Laugh—It's Great
IRISH SCENES AND TYPES

WAIFS AND SLAVES THE HUMAN CLOCK

SONGS:

"Hymns in Church Choirs"
"Stingy"

3 PERFORMANCES 3
AT 7:15, 8:15, 9:15

One Hour of Spectacular, Comic and Scenic
Pictures From All Parts of The World.

5c CHANGE OF PROGRAM EVERY DAY. 5c



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couldn't detect the difference between the natural teeth and our perfect bridge work. Dentistry has reached the apex of perfection in our fine crown and bridge work, and our painless methods of extracting and filling teeth.

DR. WATTERSON
THE PAINLESS DENTIST
115 South Fourth Street, La Crosse

AD WOLGAST TRIMS CLEVER BRITISHER

FOND DU LAC, Wis., May 28.—Ad Wolgast, the Milwaukee featherweight, was given a decision over Jeff O'Connell of England in a fast and well fought bout before the Fond du Lac Athletic club at Armory B Tuesday night. Wolgast had a shade in nearly every round, but it was only in the sixth that he was able to find O'Connell with much success. In this round Jeff was rushed to his corner and received several jabs and hard swings to the head, but succeeded in getting away in good condition, apparently none the worse from the jolts. Wolgast forced the fighting in nearly every round, but O'Connell kept himself well covered and Ad was unable to inflict much punishment.

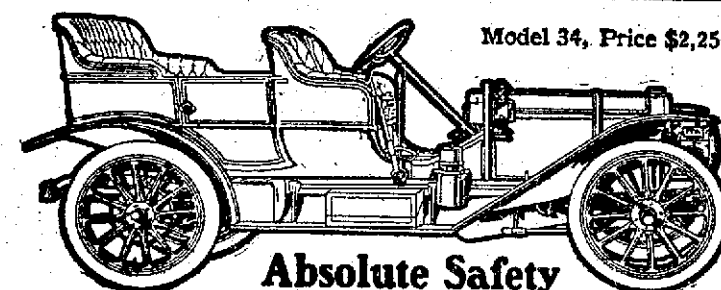
When a woman gets up a picnic she spends one-third of her time the day before at the telephone, and the other two-thirds looking at sky.

VANDERBILT CUP RACE IN OCTOBER

NEW YORK, May 28.—That there will be an automobile race for the Vanderbilt cup held this year was authoritatively announced here. While official announcement was lacking as to detail, it may safely be said that the race will be held on Long Island, probably on the Long Island motor parkway. A Saturday in the latter half of October will be selected for the race.

INDIANA FAILS TO PUT IN APPEARANCE

NOTRE DAME, Ind., May 28.—Indiana failed to show up for the game scheduled between the state team and Notre Dame. The locals were on the field when it was rumored that Indiana was playing Couver. Other than this rumor no reason has been given for the nonappearance of the Indiana players. Another game is scheduled with them.



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CUBS DOWN WITHOUT A RUN

BROOKLYN 2; CINCINNATI 8

Boston Wallops Pittsburg 5 to 2 in a
Ten-inning Fight—Brewers Win
From Lennon's Saints

Games Today
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Milwaukee in St. Paul.
Kansas City in Minneapolis.
Toledo in Columbus.
Indianapolis in Louisville.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago in Boston.
St. Louis in New York.
Detroit in Philadelphia.
Cleveland in Washington.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Boston in Pittsburg.
Chicago in St. Louis.

Yesterday's Results
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Milwaukee, 5; St. Paul, 5.
Columbus, 3; Toledo, 0.
Indianapolis, 4; Louisville, 4.
Kansas City, 6; Minneapolis, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston, 3; Chicago, 2.
Washington, 3; Cleveland, 2.
Philadelphia, 5; Detroit, 4.
St. Louis, 7; New York, 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York, 1; Chicago, 0.
Boston, 5; Pittsburg, 2.
Cincinnati, 8; Brooklyn, 2.
St. Louis-Philadelphia, rain.

Club Standings
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	25	13	.676
Toledo	19	14	.576
Louisville	22	17	.565
Columbus	20	17	.541
Milwaukee	19	17	.528
Kansas City	15	20	.429
Minneapolis	15	21	.417
St. Paul	9	26	.257

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York

Chicago

Cincinnati

Pittsburg

Philadelphia

New York

Boston

St. Louis

Brooklyn

Green Bay

Corrigan

Taylor

Olsen

Dolan

Grondick

Monroe

Wallace

Stewart

Miller

Francis

Totals

CHAMPIONSHIP FORM WINS THE SECOND

FLYNN IN THE BOX FOR LA
CROSSE ALLOWS BUT 2 HITS

BALLIES IN THE BOX TODAY

Seven Hits, Eight Stolen Bases and
Eight Bases on Balls Gives
Phinks the Victory

Games Today
Rockford in Oshkosh.
Freeport in Fond du Lac.
Madison in Wausau.
La Crosse in Green Bay.

Yesterday's Results
Madison, 3; Wausau, 2.
La Crosse, 7; Green Bay, 1.
Freeport, 7; Fond du Lac, 5.
Oshkosh, 5; Rockford, 0.

Club Standings

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
La Crosse	12	5	.700
Wausau	8	7	.533
Madison	8	7	.533
Freeport	8	8	.500
Oshkosh	7	7	.500
Green Bay	7	8	.467
Fond du Lac	7	9	.438
Rockford	4	10	.286

GREEN BAY, Wis., May 28.—(Special.)—"Duke" Flynn was the hero of yesterday's game against the leaders. He was in fine form allowing but two safe hits and but an error by Heppel would have let the locals down without a run. His control was almost perfect and with the exception of one error the visitors played an excellent fielding game, and played in real championship form.

Miller and Francis were in the box for the locals and allowed seven hits including a three bagger and a double and letting eight men take first base on balls. The visitors started out strong in the first inning with Tracey and Duchien on bases, Bues pounded out a three bagger scoring both Tracey and Duchien. After taking a rest in the second inning they again started their pounding and in the next three innings brought the score up to 7. The locals made their only run in the eighth inning when Heppel, in the left garden, missed a difficult hit by Monroe and let Grondick come in for the only tally in the game. Stewart, a new catcher from the Rockford team, allowed eight men to steal bases.

Both managers are confident of winning the last of the series today. The score:

Team	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Corrigan	4	0	0	3	0	0
Taylor	3	0	0	0	1	0
Olsen	4	0	0	1	0	0
Dolan	3	0	1	1	0	0
Grondick	2	1	0	3	4	2
Monroe	1	0	1	1	0	0
Wallace	3	0	0	0	0	0
Stewart	3	0	0	0	0	0
Miller	2	0	0	0	3	0
Francis	2	0	0	0	2	0

Totals

La Crosse

Graves

Tracey

Duchien

Becker

Bues

Bond

Heppel

Killian

Flynn

Totals

Oshkosh

Oshkosh

Oshkosh

Oshkosh

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324 MAIN STREET

LA CROSSE, WIS

JOS. W. MOYLES, MGR.

Team	R	H	P	A	E
Oshkosh	0	4	0	0	0
Bauer	0	4	0	0	0
Curtis	0	4	0	0	0
Johnson	2	3	0	0	0
Rainey	0	1	0	2	0
Warren	1	2	2	3	0
Saveland	1	3	0	0	0
Greggion	1	2	1	1	0
Groh	0	1	1	0	0
Converse	0	1	1	3	0

Totals

Oshkosh

Rockford

Summary

Base on balls—Off Converse, 3; off Chambers, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Curtis. Struck out—By Converse, 2; by Chambers, 2. Stolen bases—Curtis. Sacrifice hits—Johnson, Groh, Greggion. Umpire—Miller. Time—1:41.

Freeport, 7; Fond du Lac, 5

FOND DU LAC, Wis., May 28.—Fond du Lac played a loose game and lost to Freeport, 7 to 5. The attendance was large. Score:

Team	R	H	P	A	E
Fond du Lac	0	0	0	0	1
Kroy	0	0	0	0	1
Lynch	0	2	2	0	0
Watson	0	2	5	3	1
Schaub	1	3	1	1	0
Zackert	0	0	1	1	0
McDonald	1	2	7	3	1
Vogt	1	4	0	3	0
O'Laughlin	0	10	0	5	0
Parish	0	0	0	4	0
Cook	0	0	0	1	0
Grange	0	0	0	0	0

Totals

Freeport

Summary

Base on balls—By Parish, 3; by Rouse, 3; by Cummings, 3; by Scott, 2. Struck out—By Parish, 3; by Cummings, 3; by Scott, 3. Wild pitches—Rouse, 2. Two-base hits—Vogt, Watson, Stark. Double play—Zackert to Watson. Passed ball—Stark. Sacrifice hits—Lunch, O'Laughlin, Ireland, Disch, Harrod. Stolen bases—Schaub, McDonald, Vogt, 2; O'Laughlin, Fiske, Schoonhoven, Umpire—Lippert. Time—2:35.

Wausau, Wis., May 28.—Bartos allowed but three hits but they were bunched in the second and gave the visitors the game. Score:

Team	R	H	P	A	E
Wausau	1	1	0	0	0
Miller	1	1	0	0	0
Fox	2	1	2	0	0
McAuley	0	2	2	4	0
Erickson	0	0	1	1	0
Brady	0	1	1	0	0
Gardner	0	0	2	2	0
Lang	0	0	0	0	0
Moore	0	1	0	0	0
Bartos	0	0	0	2	2

Totals

Wausau

Summary

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Totals

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2—Thurs. 6,278	17—Fri. 6,358
3—Fri. 6,317	18—Sat. 6,370
4—Sat. 6,336	19—Sunday
5—Sunday	20—Mon. 6,295
6—Mon. 6,293	21—Tues. 6,250
7—Tues. 6,258	22—Wed. 6,210
8—Wed. 6,226	23—Thurs. 6,245
9—Thurs. 6,218	24—Fri. 6,215
10—Fri. 6,217	25—Sat. 6,208
11—Sat. 6,235	26—Sunday
12—Sunday	27—Mon. 6,267
13—Mon. 6,370	28—Tues. 6,274
14—Tues. 6,366	29—Wed. 6,227
15—Wed. 6,330	30—Thurs. 6,225

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FRANK H. BURGESS,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirtieth day of April, 1908.

A. E. BLEEKMAN,
Notary Public.

LA CROSSE'S "GOOD LUCK."

As a barometer of business conditions the advertising columns of the newspapers are a fairly reliable weather vane. Wherever there is business, there are newspapers, and wherever there is business activity, it is reflected at once in advertisements. Having this barometer to guide him, the publisher becomes a sage in judging the business situation, and perhaps no general summary of the business status has been published more dependable than that which the Fourth Estate, a leading journal for publishers, has gathered from extensive inquiries:

"Some weeks ago The Fourth Estate called attention editorially to the optimism prevailing in the West as contrasted with the pessimistic feeling then prevailing in the East. In interviews with a number of New York advertising agencies our view of the situation was unanimously endorsed, but it was shown that a better undertone was apparent here.

"Since then we have obtained the opinions on the subject of publishers and others in nearly all parts of the country, with the gratifying result indicated in another part of this issue.

"Advices from Chicago show that advertising is increasing there, and in St. Paul and the Northwest generally business is increasing daily.

never been so prosperous as in the past eighteen months and steadily increasing business is anticipated. Advertising is pulling well and those who reduced the volume of their business during the scare period 'in order to reduce expenses,' will, says our Memphis authority, have to pay thirty per cent more to get back the business they have lost than those who had the nerve to continue their space.

"From Syracuse we hear that the situation there and in middle New York is such that the papers at the end of April showed a handsome increase in their net earnings.

"Rochester says there are more newspaper advertisers in that city today than at any previous time.

"At Albany there is a general revival in all branches of trade.

"But it is from Pittsburgh, that the most significant news comes. The Carnegie Steel company and the Westinghouse interests and others insist on their employees taking the vacations prior to July 1, which, our correspondent explains, indicates that the important concerns referred to expect to resume operations on a heavy scale after that date.

"In brief, we have been able to prove to our readers that the statements contained in our editorial on the business situation were correct. The pessimistic feeling has disappeared in the West, where business is booming, and it is fast disappearing in the East, where a steady revival of trade has taken place with the prospect of a more decided improvement as the fall approaches."

Supplementing the above, the Fourth Estate adds the weight of figures compiled by the government statisticians relative to volume of business, etc. These are even more optimistic than the free-hand opinions from which the former conclusions were drawn. The paper says:

"Those who will persist in croaking about 'hard times,' should study the official statements issued from Washington, April 16, showing that in all probability the export trade of the United States would reach \$2,000,000,000 in the fiscal year which will end June 30. If these phenomenal figures are reached it will have more than doubled in the years that have elapsed since the beginning of the first McKinley administration. There seemed little chance a month ago that the export commerce of the country would reach the \$2,000,000,000 mark the fiscal year, but there was an unexpected decrease in outgoing cargoes in March. The export trade in that month was valued at \$141,997,578; as against 161,635,228 in the same month of last year.

The grand total of foreign bound commerce for the first nine months of the fiscal year stands at \$1,497,903,535, but if the increase in shipments should be as large as it was in the same months of last year, in comparison with those of 1906, the grand total for the year would be close to \$2,000,000."

It is not saying that the statements—and tone—of the above are incorrect to admit that there are still sections of the country suffering from the financial jim-jams. In these sections, we believe, the only remedy needed is a psychological one. Take Portland, for instance. Mr. H. C. Whittier has a letter from friends there announcing that the great annual "Rose Carnival" has been given up for the year. The letter shows Portland cast in a gloomy mold, and actually not prosperous. There has been a backward season there, rains and cold predominating, but it is more due to the bad mental atmosphere than to the weather that things do not brighten. Portland needs the sunshine of optimism.

La Crosse is fortunate, and we believe its "good luck" is largely temperamental. We did not take the panic seriously here. The banks went on cashing all checks. Business was conducted along the regular progressive lines. No one committed suicide or shot his horse to save the feed. We recognized no panic. We had none. Hence we have nothing to "recover from." Portland has not had worse weather than La Crosse—seven consecutive rainy Mondays we have drawn—but Portland, and some other places, has the blues. As a rule the American people are too sensitive to impressions. They drift with too light currents. La Crosse—for an American city—is pretty well anchored.

SPOTLIGHTS

"The Ham Tree."

Alexander Hamblenian J. McIntyre
Henry Jones T. K. Heath
Sherlock Baffles Frank O'Brien
Ernest Everhart Phil W. Smith
Lord Spotsch Arthur Barry
Lawrence Nickelbacker Alfred Fisher

Mrs. Nickelbacker, Jeanne Towler
Tessie Nickelbacker Carolyn Gordon
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Ponsby Otto T. Johnson
Molly Margaret Morris
Dolly Jones Harriet Rehfield
Bashful Nan Jennie Meyer
Nancy Brown Frances Ramey
Jane Mea Lackey
Winsome Kitty Daisy Lytle
Daisy Jane Lovell
Lola Corinne Lincoln
Flo Felicitas Hanibel
Nellie McGowan Eleanor Dobson
Lillie Eva Stuart
Sleepy Kate Flo Claywood
(By Arthur A. Greene.)

A great many people in this town have kept their calendars marked up against the coming of that immitable team of blackface comedians, McIntyre and Heath, and their bountiful being of medical comedy, "The Ham Tree." Last year it came for the first time and the theater-going element went slightly daffy about the show. It was therefore but perfectly natural that on last night, which marked the beginning of a return engagement, the crowd could hardly wait until the doors of the Hellig opened. It was a typical first night audience, and I'm quite sure there were only two empty seats in the house after the first curtain rang up.

"The Ham Tree" is positively unique. It is one stage success that has been followed by no spurious imitations, because, forsooth, there are only two of them—namely, two men on the stage like McIntyre and Heath, partners for 30-odd years. They have not changed their lines materially since the time of their debut, if I'm correctly informed. I recall that they flourished more years ago than I care to recall. They have always been distinct, the best exponents of that variety of entertainment supplied by white men with their faces done up in burnt cork. They told their old jokes last night in the same old way, and everybody from the gallery to the orchestra laughed immoderately just as they did that fall when Cleveland beat Blaine. Their peculiar charm is that they get their best effects from jokes and stories which would be dreary as a coroner's inquest if they came from any one else. For instance, that one about the bride and the bit.

As last season, these eminent artists are surrounded by an excellent New York company, equal, with one exception, to that fine organization which distinguished the show last year. Frederick Bowers, the composer and hip-hurrah tenor robusto, is not in evidence, and his successor, Philip W. Smith, lacks a good deal of being his equal. Almost all the others, down to and including the members of the chorus, were here last time and have in no way deteriorated. If anything, the performance last night was an improvement, with the one exception noted. That wonderful chorus is still wonderful, the sweep and swing of things is just as exhilarating, the principals sustain their parts after their wonted manner, and a fine entertainment is the result.

"The Ham Tree" is one of those attractions which we occasionally get which absolutely commands attention. It has no purpose beyond amusing an audience to the full limit for two hours and a half, but in this instance it performs its mission. The dialogue of the stars and the work of the chorus alone are sufficient to make the offering one of the most signal successes in its line, while in addition there are a half-dozen mighty interesting members of the supporting company, not to mention Belle Gold, who, with the other good ones, made the town sit up and look about last year. This advice is sound. Go and see "The Ham Tree." Unless you are hopelessly liverish you will be as much as 99 per cent perfectly delighted. There will be repeated performances tonight, tomorrow night and a Wednesday matinee at Portland Oregonian.

McIntyre and Heath in Klaw & Erlanger's "The Ham Tree" are announced for Thursday, June 4, at the La Crosse theater.

Summer Plays.

The Van Dyke & Eaton company, a repertoire attraction worthy of more than ordinary consideration, will open a summer season beginning next Sunday matinee. This season their repertoire is comprised entirely of new plays, many of which have enjoyed metropolitan success, and the management has spared no effort to duplicate in scenic equipment and dramatic worth the original productions.

Miss Ollie Baton is an actress endowed with a sweet voice, charming personality and wonderful histrionic ability. She appears in the principal roles, and is supported by a large and evenly balanced company. In conjunction with the nightly dramatic offerings, vaudeville features of rare interest will be presented between acts. Edmond C. Sprague, character songs and monologues, and Willard Foster, illustrated songs. The usual ladies' free tickets will be given with each 20-cent ticket purchased for Monday night.

IRELAND'S RAILWAYS

(Dublin Leader.)

One gentleman connected with an Irish industry said to us: "If I were starting Irish manufacture, I would start—in Liverpool." This paradox is, indeed, a brilliant criticism of our railways as industry killers. From Liverpool you could deliver all round Ireland at the various ports, but the unfortunate Irish manufacturer who has to send his stuff by rail is badly handicapped.

FASHION HINTS

By MAY MANTON



5999 Child's One-Piece Dress,
3 to 6 years.

One-piece frocks are exceedingly fashionable just now and are really very pretty for playtime and all occasions of a similar sort. This one is appropriate for linen, for chambray, for percale, for gingham and also for the thinner lawns of real hot weather, while it can be trimmed with bands of contrasting material or with one of the ready made bandings as liked. It hangs in long, graceful folds and the box plaits over the shoulders provide becoming fullness. In the illustration white French linen is banded with rose color making an exceedingly attractive yet durable frock.

The dress is made in one piece. It is laid in box plaits at the fronts and there is an opening cut at the center back where the closing is made invisibly. There are box plaits laid in the sleeve portions also, but the only seams are those at the underarms.

The quantity of material required for the medium size (4 years) is 2½ yards 24, 1½ yards 32 or 44 inches, wide, with ¾ yard of contrasting material 36 inches wide for the trimming.

The pattern 5999 is cut in sizes for children of 2, 4 and 6 years of age and will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper on receipt of ten cents. (If in haste send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage which incurs more prompt delivery.)

DAFFODILS

(London Times.)

The lovely spot is known to tradition when Wordsworth saw his daffodils dancing by the lake; and though we have no such clue to the spot where Shakespeare saw them "take the winds of March with beauty," we can well picture it on one of his comely Warwickshire hill-sides, where the dullness of the Midland landscapes begins to sink into the charm of the west.

Too Well Trained

A landlord in the highlands of Scotland had a "crofter" tenant, who paid him 10 shillings a year as rent for the little farm. At the end of the second year the tenant came to the landlord and said that he was not able to pay more than 5 shillings a year, as crops had been poor. The landlord agreed to this.

At the end of the third year the tenant appeared before the landlord again and complained that things were going so poorly with him that he was not able to pay any rent. The landlord agreed to let him remain rent free. At the end of the fourth year the tenant once more appeared before the landlord and said:

"Colonel, if you don't build me a barn I'll have to move."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Pain Weakens

Headache, rheumatism, neuralgia, or pains of any nature weaken the system—they are a strain upon the nerves. Almost instant relief can be obtained by taking Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and without any bad after-effects. Take one on first indication of an attack—it will ward it off. They are a pleasant little tablet, sold by druggists, everywhere, 25 doses 25 cents; never sold in bulk.

"I was subject to constant headaches for a period of four years. At times I was almost unable to do the work in which I am engaged, that of station agent. Through the advice of a friend I tried Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and the result has been that I have entirely eradicated my system of those continuous headaches that follow a continual mental strain. They have done for me all that I claimed for them." O. L. RUSSELL.

Agst. C. & N. W. Ry., Battle Creek, Ia. "I have used Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain pills for a year, now for neuralgia and indigestion. They have been a blessing to me." MRS. M. J. HAMILTON, Upper Akron, Ill.

Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and we authorize him to return the price of first package (only) if it fails to benefit you. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

THE PAUPER OF PARK LANE

By William Le Queux

Who could be the culprit whom Sir Charles had told him was his "friend." He had known the Doctor well, but not intimately as Max Barclay had done. Curious that Max had told him nothing concerning that tragic incident which had caused the Serbian statesman and patriot to turn his back upon his beloved country and live in studious seclusion in England. Max had told him many things, but had never mentioned that subject.

Was Max Barclay the "friend" to whom Sir Charles had referred. Was it really possible? He held his half-smoked cigar and wondered. It was a strange suspicion. Of late, ever since Max had charged him with having been present at Cromwell Road on the night of the disappearance, he had somehow held aloof from the man to whom Marion was so devoted.

And now? Even she had disappeared! What could it mean? Did Max Barclay really know how and why Marion had disappeared, and for motives of his own was making a mystery of it?

The message from Barclay worried him. Marion was missing. Why had she left Cunningham's? She must have left of her own accord, he felt confident. She would never be discharged. Sam Statham would never, for a moment, allow that.

A tall man with a fair, pointed beard approached him, raised his hat, and gripped his hand. It was Drukovich, the director of the National Theatre, and a friend of his. The new-comer seated himself at the table and the waiter brought a tiny glass of "silovitza," or plum gin, that liquor so dear to the Serbian palate. Drukovich was one of the best-known and most popular men in Belgrade; a thorough-going cosmopolitan, and a man of the world. Sometimes he went to London, and whenever there Charlie entertained him at his club, or they went to the theatre and supped at the Savoy.

As they chatted, Rolfe explaining that he was in Serbia upon financial matters as usual, Drukovich nodded to the officers and civilians whom he knew, many of them famous for the part they had played in the recent coup d'etat. Some of them, indeed, wore the white-enamelled cross, which decoration marked them as partisans of the dynasty of the Kara-george. And meanwhile the orchestra were playing the popular waltz from "The Merry Widow," the air haunting everybody and everyone.

That night there was a court ball at the Palace, and the forthcoming event was upon everyone's lips. There was seldom any entertainment at the New Konak, for his Majesty led a very quiet life, the almost ascetic life of a soldier—riding out at dawn, attending to duties of state during the day, and retiring early.

Perhaps the most maligned man in all Europe, King Peter of Serbia was, nevertheless, known to those intimate around the throne to be a most conscientious ruler, fully aware of all his responsibility and striving ever to pacify all the political factions, sustaining the prestige of Serbia abroad, and ameliorating the condition of his people at home.

The truth regarding King Peter had never been written. Of libels and vile calumnies there had been volumes, but no journalist had ever dared to put into print the real facts of King Peter's innocence of any complicity in the dastardly murder of Alexander and Draga.

Those who knew the real facts admired King Peter as a man and fearless patriot, but those who gathered their information from sensational newspapers and scurrilous books emanating from Austria believed every lie that the back-stairs scribes chose to write.

Drukovich was one of the men who knew the truth, and many a time he had explained them to his friend, who in turn had told old Sam Statham, the hard-headed misanthrope whose prejudices were so strong, and yet the chords of whose heart-strings were so readily touched.

Sam had lent money to Serbia—huge sums. And why? Because he knew his Majesty personally, and had heard from his own lips the story of his tragic difficulties and his high aspirations.

Once, indeed, in that silent study in Park Lane he had been reading a confidential report from Belgrade, predicting a black outlook, when he turned to his secretary and said:

"Rolfe. There will be trouble in Serbia. But even though I may lose the million sterling I have loaned it will not trouble me. I have to assist an honest man who is at the same time a philanthropist and a king."

Charlie Rolfe recollected these words at that moment as he sat amid the noise and chatter of the cafe, where, above every other sound, rose the sweet, tuneful strains of the waltz that had within the past few weeks gripped all Europe.

There was something bizarre, something incongruous with it all. He was thinking of his lost love—his sweet-faced Maud with the unruly wisp of hair straying across her white brow.

Where was she? Aye, where was she?

CHAPTER XLII.

Advances a Theory.

Next day, and the next, Charlie called upon the British Minister, but could obtain no further information. Sir Charles had failed to establish his suspicion, and therefore declined to say anything further.

Rolfe, on his part, had learned from Drukovich the full details of the dastardly attempt upon the Doctor's life at Toppleschler, and how the little child had been blown to atoms. The escape of Petrovitch had been little short of miraculous, and it was now whispered that the conspiracy

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had no political significance, but an act of private vengeance.

Whatever its motive might have been, it had the desired effect of preventing the Doctor from returning to Serbia.

In various quarters Rolfe made diligent inquiry, and established without a doubt that Maud Petrovitch had within the past ten days or so been in Belgrade.

A young officer of the King's guard, a Lieutenant Yankovitch, had seen her in the Zar Dushanowa Ulliza. He described her as wearing a white serge gown and a big black hat. She was walking with a short, elderly, grey-haired woman, undoubtedly a foreigner—English or American. He was marching with his company, or would have stopped and spoken to her.

Another person discovered by Drukovich was a domestic who had once been in the Doctor's service. She declared that early one morning when going from her home to the house in the Krunska where she was now employed, she met her young mistress Maud with the same elderly woman—a woman rather shabbily dressed. The pair were passing the Russian Legation, and she stopped and spoke.

The young lady had told her that she was only on a flying visit to Belgrade, and that she was leaving again on the morrow. To the servant's inquiries regarding the Doctor his daughter was silent, although she did not wish to mention her father.

According to the servant's description Mademoiselle Maud looked very wan and pale, as though she had passed many sleepless nights full of anxiety and dread.

The Prime Minister's wife had no recollection of telling her husband about meeting the Doctor's daughter. Somebody else must have mentioned it to the grey-bearded statesman, who, full of the cares of office, had forgotten who it had been.

A third person who had seen Maud, however, was one of the agents of secret police on duty at the railway station. It was this man's work to watch arriving passengers, and to detain agents to watch any suspected to be foreign spies. According to his report, made to the chief of police, Mademoiselle Petrovitch arrived in Belgrade late one night with an elderly Englishwoman and a tall, thin man, probably a German. They hired a cab and drove out to an address near the Botanical Gardens, on the opposite side of the city. Recognizing who she was, he did not instruct an agent to follow her. The two ladies returned to the railway station four days later and left again

by the Orient express for Budapest. The officials of the international express, in passing through Serbia, are compelled to furnish to the secret police the names and nationalities of all passengers travelling.

When the train arrives in Belgrade the commissario is always handed the list, which is filed for reference. Upon the list on that particular day was shown the names of Mademoiselle Maud Petrovitch, of Belgrade, and Mrs. Wood, of London.

The girl had only slightly disguised her name.

(To be Continued.)

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

Fruit of the Tree of Knowledge. A Washington man, while visiting a friend's place in Virginia, became much interested in his experiments in fruit culture.

One day the visitor was making the rounds of the place, being in charge of the friend's young daughter of 10, who acted as guide.

"This tree seems to be loaded with apples," observed the Washingtonian, indicating a particularly fine specimen.

"Yes, sir," assented the little girl; "father says this is a good year for apples."

"I am glad to hear that," said the visitor. "Are all your trees as full of apples as this one?"

"No, sir," explained the girl, "only the apple trees."—Harper's Weekly.

A Wise One. "That author keeps his identity closely concealed."

"Until I read his books I thought it was due to modesty."

"Isn't it?"

"No, discretion."—The Sacred Heart Review.

Quite Natural. Murray Hill—Jack Swift is making ducks and drakes of his fortune.

Westend—Yes, and a goose of himself.—Town Topics.

I always look the other way. When ladies cross a muddy street, For even the most modest dame Will raise her dress above two feet.—Town Topics.

Better Yet. "Can she keep a secret?"

"No, but she can keep a cook, and that's something to brag about."—Philadelphia Inquirer.



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RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$2,215,953.36
Overdrafts	690.15
U. S. bonds	400,000.00
Other bonds	144,461.02
Banking house and fixtures	70,000.00
6 per cent redemption fund	20,000.00
Cash	235,707.44
Due from banks	436,862.99
	\$3,523,674.96
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	\$ 400,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	40,727.65
National bank notes outstanding	365,000.00
Deposits	2,616,637.31
	\$3,523,674.96

THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

Beans vs. Meat

Beans and meat have about the same food value, but not the same cost

Which would you rather serve?

Beans are 23 per cent nitrogenous—84 per cent nutritive. They are Nature's choicest food. If you could serve them once a day, think how much you would save on your meat bills.

Will it not pay you to get the best beans—beans that are always ready—beans that your people will want?

Encourage your folks to eat beans. They are appetizing, hearty, cheap

You who serve home-baked beans don't serve them often, because they are hard to prepare and hard to digest. Beans, to be digestible, must be factory cooked. Your oven isn't hot enough; you can't break down their fibre. And beans should be baked in live steam, as ours are. Then they are mealy and nutty and whole.

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Our beans, our tomato sauce and our pork are baked 90 minutes together

Thus we get our delicious blend.

And Van Camp's have a nutty flavor, a sparkling zest, a piquant tang that you can't get in other brands.

Keep a dozen cans in the house—a dozen meals always ready. For you will eat more beans than you think you will, when you once get a taste of Van Camp's.

10, 15 and 20¢ per can.

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PACKMAN GIVES RUSHFORD CONCERT

Prof. Harry Packman went to Rushford this morning to direct the Choral club tonight. He was accompanied by Otto Zielke, who is to take the tenor part in the concert. Mr. Packman goes to Neo New Albin tomorrow and will join his St. Cecilia quartet, which is engaged for a concert in that town under the auspices of the La Crosse School of Music.

ROOT RIVER HAS REACHED LIMIT

Root river has been raising rapidly during the past few days and this morning had reached the stage where it was impossible for farmers to cross the lower road and get to La Crosse. It is predicted that the high stage has been reached and farmers look for a fast decline in the next forty-eight hours.

BRADFIELD VIEWS MILWAUKEE DEPTS.

Chief Nathan Bradfield returned home last evening from Milwaukee where he attended the graduation exercises at the Milwaukee Medical college. William A. Edwards, a nephew of the chief, was a member of the graduating class and passed with high honors.

While at Milwaukee Chief Bradfield visited at the various fire departments and was impressed with the showing of the departments at that city.

NEW TRIBES OF REDMEN FORMED

A new tribe of Redmen will be organized at Trempealeau June 6 and a tribe at Etrick the 13th. The local degree town of the Winneshik tribe No. 21 has been invited to attend some time after the 13th and assist in the institution work.

GRADUATION GIFTS

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JOHN FLYNN POST PREPARES PROGRAM

WILL DECORATE THE GRAVES IN NORTH SIDE CEMETERY

EXERCISES AT FRENCH ISLAND

Morning Will Be Devoted to Decoration Saturday and Afternoon to Lunch and Speeches

The program for Decoration Day of the John Flynn Post No. 77 follows: The veterans leave the corner of Caledonia and Clinton streets for the North Side cemetery at 7:30 and return at 10:00 o'clock to Black River bridge for the memorial service to the sailor soldier dead. The parade then goes to the park on the island where in the afternoon they will have good music and good speeches. All are welcome and conveyances will be in waiting.

After dinner speaking will be in order, the addresses being given by Rev. A. A. Randall and Rev. A. L. Wood.

The North La Crosse band will accompany the parade and the north side school children will participate in a very pretty flag drill for which they have been preparing for some time.

It is expected that a large crowd will turn out to join in the services, which will be held separate from the south side celebration.

WANT SANITARY STALLS IN NO. 2

The committee on grounds and buildings made a trip of inspection to the fire stations yesterday afternoon and looked over the buildings in view of recommending necessary improvements. The committee was greatly impressed with the sanitary stalls in stations Nos. 3 and 4 and at the next meeting of the council will recommend the installing of such stalls in station No. 2 on the North side. Other minor improvements were decided on by the committee.

Nourish away wrinkles, lines and blemishes with Satin skin cream and powder.

REPLACES SHACKS WITH RESIDENCE

Joseph Gale will tear down the two old landmarks on the southwest corner of Mill and St. Cloud streets, and build a new residence in their place. The old buildings have stood there for about 40 years. Mr. Gale has owned the property for 35 years.

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NORTH SIDERS TO BE 1908 HOSTS

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SUNDAY JUNE 14TH CHOSEN

Celebration Will be Held on French Island and Will Include Games, Races and Other Amusements

Sunday, June 14th, has been set for the date of the sixth annual outing of the city employees and already arrangements are under way to make the event excel all previous efforts of the employees of the city.

A committee composed of Messrs. George Young, chairman; Arthur Roberge, Theo. Ritter, N. Murphy and A. Gifford, has been appointed to take charge of the employees working on the south side and those residing there and at the event an invitation was extended by the north side aggregation to have the outing this year left in their hands and they will be the host during the day.

The celebration will be held on French Island and a program is being prepared including baseball games, races and other amusements. Refreshments will be served by the north side crowd.

NORTH SIDERS PICK UP LOGS

The government dredge has commenced work at Onalaska and will work down to the mouth of Black river. A large number of north siders are busy picking up logs that are pulled up by the dredge. The logs are in good condition. They were used as piles for tying booms to in the old logging days.

LARGE NUMBER GREET SANDERS

The mid-week prayer meeting service was held at the Tabernacle Baptist church last evening and 75 people were present to greet their pastor, Rev. Sanders, who has returned to his pulpit after a long absence.

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NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mrs. G. H. Yarrington of Berlin street, who has been seriously ill with pluro-pneumonia, is slowly recovering.

Jerome Felger has returned from a few days' business trip to Minneapolis.

Invald Lien of Austin is visiting his parents on the North side for a couple of weeks.

Linwood Widrick has moved into the new house at 1611 Avon street.

Dr. Miller is filling up the rooms above Mrs. Allen's tailoring establishment for his office.

Frank Ritter who was formerly employed by the Vote-Berger company, has accepted a position with the La Crosse Rug company.

Officer Yehle is able to don his uniform today and resume his duties as a guardian of the peace.

N. F. Clark of Neenah will be the guest at the home of Mrs. Lampman arriving this evening.

The North Side Boosters will play the Giants on the Summit foundry grounds Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Clinton of Caledonia street will leave soon for an extended trip through the west.

R. Graw of Caledonia street left for Victory to accept a position on the railroad.

Mrs. Susa of Minneapolis is visiting friends on the North side.

Mrs. N. Will, Miss Nellie Whitting and John Whitting will spend Saturday in Hokah.

Miss Orabell Sullivan is seriously ill at her home.

Mrs. P. J. Kelly has returned from a trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Whipple of Avon street is ill with rheumatism.

DRAWING EXHIBIT ON NORTH SIDE

A drawing and manual training exhibit is to be held at the Seventh district school, corner of Kane and Gillette streets Thursday and Friday afternoon, the 28th and 29th of May. The exhibit is composed of selected work of the pupils from each of the district school and high school. All parents and those interested in this work are urged to be present.

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The Doore Club will meet with John Bergaust, 1452 Avon street, Friday evening, May 23. The question for discussion will be whether Bryan or Johnson is the best man for the democratic candidate for the presidency. The speakers for Johnson are J. C. Hohn and E. Stendahl, for Bryan A. O. Black and J. J. Noem.

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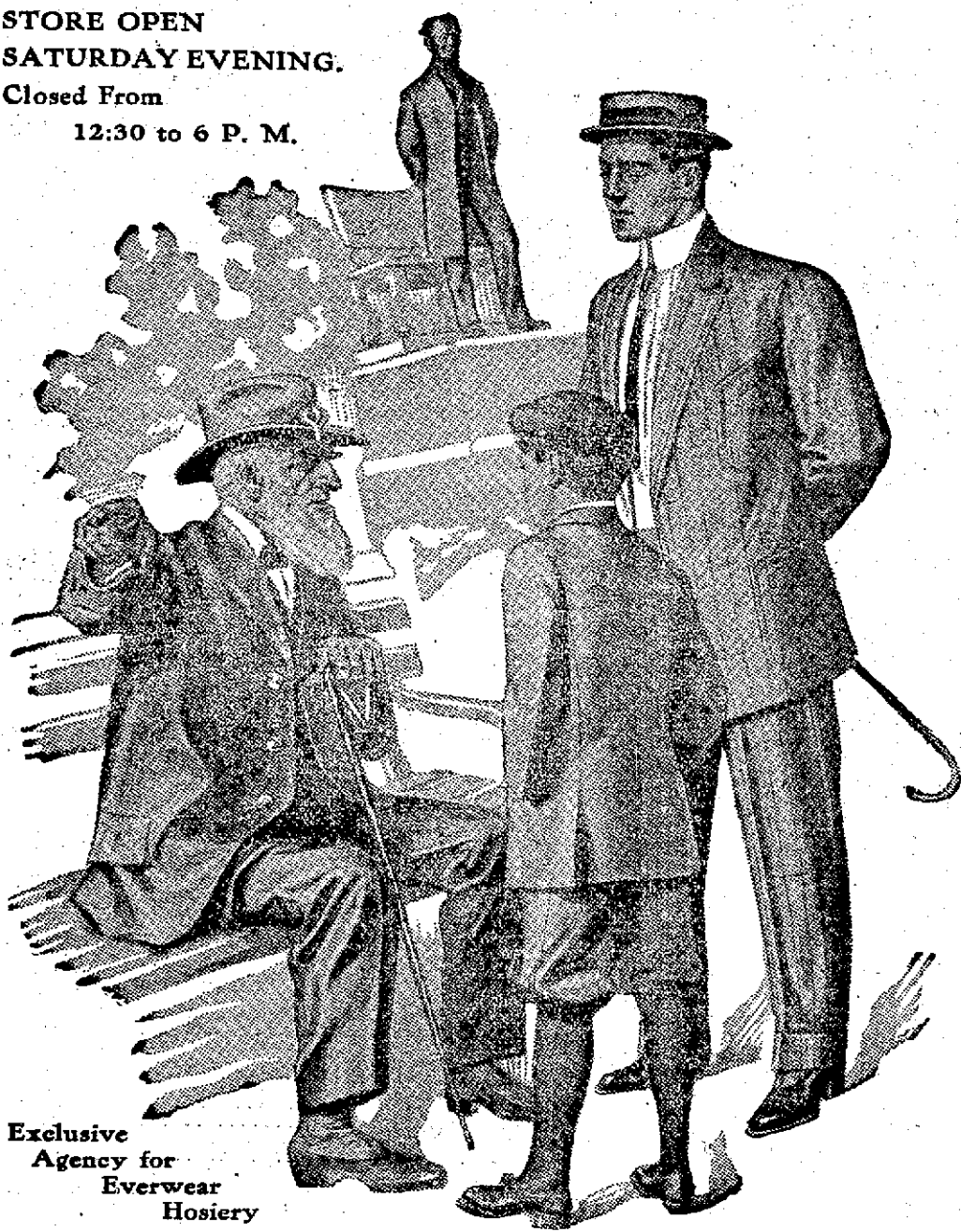
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NEARBY CITIES TOWNS AND FARMS

HOUSTON, MINN.

The Colored Keystones of Minneapolis defeated the Houston Cardinals here Friday in a well played game by a score of 11 to 6. The game was one of the best ever seen on the local grounds for a long time, each and every one of the Cardinals showing up in fine form. Larson, the high school wonder, pitched great ball, striking out eight of the Keystones, and allowing only six hits. Peacock, at the receiving end of the battery, played gilt-edged ball, and throwing several men out at second. A. McGuire on first base played good ball but not as well as he usually does, being layed up with a sore hand, received in a practice game some time ago. Peterson at second and H. Hanson at short played fine, and accepted several difficult chances. M. McGuire at third base played a star game, playing "all around" any of the Keystone players. He accepted eight or nine difficult chances and picked the bunts right off the bat. Captain Parish in center field, A. Whitmore in left and O. Hanson in the right garden played good ball, and took everything that came their way. Next Sunday the Houston Cardinals take on the famous Caledonia Commercial, but they intend to make them look like a bunch of school kids.

Struck out—By Larson, 8; by Graham, 3. Base on balls—Off Larson, 0; off Graham, 3. Hits—Off Larson, 6; off Graham, 10. Base hits—M. McGuire, 3; Peterson, 1; O. Hanson, 1; O. McGuire, 1; H. Hanson, 3; Larson, 1. Two-base hits—Whitmore, 1; Larson, 1. Fasset balls—Peacock, 2; Graham, 6. Umpire—D. Clinton Ryer. Time—1:30. Attendance—1,000.

High School Reception
On the starry evening of Friday a crowd of high school students could be seen wending their way to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, where the Juniors entertained the Seniors to a spread.

In due time the Seniors, namely Mary Sullivan, Pauline Nelson, Winifred Chapel, Martha Birkland, Frances Abrahamson, Henry Larson and Clement Schonlau, arrived and were received in a cordial and courteous manner by the Juniors. The evening was spent in playing several games. Several piano solos were given and were well received.

An elegant lunch was served, to which all did justice.

When the clock tolled the hour of twelve the happy party broke up, going again out into the beautiful evening to their respective homes, each and every one satisfied with the fine time had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, under the supervision of the Juniors.

Next week the high school closes with the state exams. This year has been one of the most successful in

the history of the school, very much to which is due the excellent corps of teachers, the Misses Foster, Enright, Kelly, Benson, Burr and Mrs. H. Taylor.

The high school baseball team goes to Lanesboro on June 2nd and Harmony on June 3rd, on which trip they expect to capture two more prizes. The team has a good record so far, having lost but one game out of three played. They are very anxious to get a game with the Caledonia high school, but somehow or other the bunch from up the hill are scared to come down.

BRICE PRAIRIE, WIS.

The dance at the home of Eugene Banders last Friday night was well attended.

Geo. Reallig has purchased the 80 acres of land west of Orsted.

Miss Grace and Blanche Bright and Charles Wisner of La Crosse spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vanzethergen.

Mr. S. Bright spent Sunday with his sister at Dresbach, Minn.

Miss Gertrude Congdon will close her school in district No. 2 Friday, May 29, for the summer vacation.

Al. Kennedy drove down to his lower farm to look after his stock.

Clifford Lovejoy spent Sunday with Bennie and Raleigh Bright.

Farmers are busy planting corn between showers.

ALMA, WIS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harry are the parents of a baby boy, born yesterday.

The Seniors attended the reception given them by Prof. Donaldson.

Mrs. Abe Garrow, who visited here for a week, returned to her home at North La Crosse.

A number of young wolves were brought to Alma by Mr. Ritter. He took them to Chairman McCabe to receive bounty for them.

Mr. Doverspike and Allan Gantenbein are kept busy putting up lightning rods in the country.

Mr. A. R. Zieler of St. Paul transacted business here yesterday.

CASHTON, WIS.

The Misses Clark and, Starting, teachers in the local high school, left for their homes in Portage and Berlin Monday.

Mabel Johnson, who recently resigned her position as a hello girl here, left Monday for Milwaukee, where she obtained employment.

Miss Grace Hazen, primary teacher here, left for Eau Claire Tuesday, where she will spend her summer vacation.

B. R. Nelson went to Chicago on Tuesday.

Ben Halverson, a brakeman on the "Q," spent Tuesday here with his parents.

Miss Mamie Bates who has been visiting her parents here for the past

two weeks, left Tuesday for La Crosse, where she resumes employment.

A. R. Adlington of Viroqua was a Cashton business caller here Tuesday.

Carl Erickson who recently resigned his position here as a drug-gist for A. A. DuMez, went to Sparta Tuesday, where he has hopes of securing a position of similar work.

Mr. Ben Brown of Viroqua gave a good moving picture show to a fair sized house here Monday. Mr. Brown will be here once a week after this. The date is to be Monday.

Jacob Seitz had the misfortune on Tuesday to cut a finger very badly while butchering a veal calf.

Bert Ferguson who has been steadily employed in the Cashton Resorco office here the past two weeks, has taken a vacation from his duties as "ad setter" for two months when he will again resume work.

Sylvester Cremer is now employed as one of the cashiers here in the local bank.

A carload of tobacco was taken in here for a La Crosse firm Tuesday.

P. J. Hansen, a local hardware dealer, is putting up a splendid addition to his dwelling on his farm, a mile north of Cashton.

P. E. Mithy shipped a carload of hogs to Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn Miller and Miss Wilson of Melvina visited at Cashton Tuesday afternoon.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. O. T. Erhart.

Mrs. Bridgely—Tomorrow will be George's birthday, and I've bought a lovely box of cigars.

Mrs. Oldenweiss—O! I wouldn't have done that. It's a mistake for a woman to buy cigars for her husband unless she's careful to get the very best.

Mrs. Bridgely—O! but I was careful. I picked out a box called "Best Ever." Of course there couldn't possibly be anything better than that. The Catholic Standard.

The Liver is seldom healthy while coffee is the daily drink. Doctors recommend.

POSTUM

"There's a Reason."

NEW YORK STILL IS PIVOTAL STATE

MUCH SIGNIFICANCE IN THE STATE FIGHT THERE

HUGHES COULD CARRY IT O.K.

And So Could Roosevelt, but There is Doubt of Other Republicans; Hearst a Factor

Washington Bureau of The La Crosse Tribune WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28. (By J. C. Welliver.)

It is coming fast to be recognized that the state of New York will likely be once more this year the pivotal state of the union, in a presidential contest. From time to time a good deal of talk is heard that New York is no longer necessary to either party, if it would win the country; but the talk is little considered by practical politicians. These calculate that New York is today just as much the determining state as it ever was before.

A vast deal of attention is being given to Empire state affairs, especially by the republicans. Their party has some peculiar difficulties there, which complicate the national situation. Governor Hughes has come to be a good deal of an idol with the element that in 1884 won the title of mugwumps, and that since that day has been called by various names less suggestive of opprobrium and more indicative of a respectful attitude on the part of the politicians. Governor Hughes is widely regarded as one of the two republicans who could carry the state, and Theodore Roosevelt is looked upon as the other. There may be other men who could do so, but none of them inspires the confidence that is felt in these two.

Not a Party Man
That the governor ought to be somewhere in the running—as a candidate for governor, for president, for vice president, or as a prospective senator—is widely accepted as the dictate of good politics. The trouble is that the politicians, even those who believe he would help the ticket, are against him for the reason that he is considered an utterly impossible party man. And the man who would have the politicians' support in New York must be a good party man. This question of carrying New York is receiving great attention just now among the political managers. The republicans are uncertain what sort of factor William R. Hearst will be this year. They look to him to contribute greatly to their chance of

carrying the country, and especially New York, if he shall become a candidate for president. Whether any other man, nominated by the Independence party, could do as much, is doubted.

Mr. Hearst's intentions, however, are a sealed book. If Mr. Hearst has confided them to anybody, that person is deaf and dumb. The politicians of both parties want to know and cannot learn. It is reported that Mr. Hearst is going to leave the country before any of the national conventions are held, and that he will remain in Europe until after the republican, democratic and independence parties have held their national gatherings.

People who have a way of studying these things recall that when Mr. Hearst was nominated for mayor of New York he was in France, and reasoning by analogy they express the opinion that while he is in Europe on this year's trip he will be nominated for president. If so, they expect him to be a most important factor in the national fight.

The suggestion of Secretary Root for senator from New York has been circulated with persistence and enthusiasm. Indeed, there is reason to think that he is the choice of the republicans who want to make the strongest possible fight or control of the state this year. The Gotham politicians have been busily warming the ways between Washington and New York of late, conferring and discussing and worrying about the situation; but the program has not been framed, or if framed has not

been confided to anybody on the outside of a very small group. The president is the most astute and powerful politician in New York, and it is generally conceded that the course which he finally dictates will be adopted.

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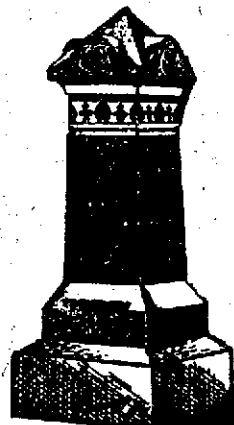
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DRIFTING LAUNCH

EASTON FAMILY ENDANGERED

Drift Helplessly in Ocean During
Raging Storm After Pilot Mys-
teriously Vanishes

AVAILON, ISLAND OF SANTA CATALINA, Cal., May 28.—Capt. A. Crist of the launch Zeus of Avalon and C. E. Hooline, ordinary seaman on the United States cruiser Buffalo, were drowned and E. E. Easton and wife, two small children, and a colored nurse were rescued by the Buffalo on the high seas after drifting helplessly for two days in a small launch.

Capt. Crist was lost from the launch Sunday night several miles off Avalon in a mysterious manner. A small rowboat is missing from the launch, and search is being continued for the captain in the hope that he may be found alive.

Sailor Lost Making Rescue.
Seaman Hooline was lost overboard from the Buffalo in effecting the rescue of Mr. Easton and his party from the launch on Tuesday evening while a heavy sea was running off the western coast of the island. Another sailor dived overboard in an unsuccessful attempt to rescue Hooline, and was himself barely saved.

Easton is a former war correspondent, an author of considerable reputation, and was formerly secretary to Webster Davis, assistant secretary of the interior under President McKinley.

Easton and his family were brought to Avalon yesterday by the Buffalo. They had a frightful experience, being for two days without food, and all were in a state of nervous collapse when landed from the cruiser.

Cruiser Seeks Hooline's Body.
After landing the Easton party the Buffalo returned to the scene of the drownings and searching about, hoping to pick up Capt. Crist or the body of the drowned sailor.

Easton came to Catalina from Los Angeles with his family several days ago. On May 17 they engaged Capt. Crist and his launch Zeus for a camping trip of several days at San Clemente island, thirty miles south of Santa Catalina island. The party returned to the uninhabited western shore of Catalina a few days later and camped there until last Sunday. Late in the afternoon of that day they boarded the Zeus and started to return to Avalon.

Captain Gone; Bearings Lost.
The craft encountered a heavy sea that night and when day dawned on Monday Mr. Easton found that Capt. Crist was missing from the launch, together with the small rowboat towed at the stern. The gasoline engine of the launch was still running, but Mr. Easton knew nothing of its mechanism. A heavy fog set in which totally obscured the island shore and all bearings were soon completely lost.

A heavy storm came up which tossed the craft about and threatened to swamp it every moment. Mr. Easton kept the engine going until the gasoline was exhausted, when the boat drifted. All day Monday, Monday night and Tuesday were spent by Mr. Easton and his family in the launch, which was carried far out to sea.

Sighted by Warship.
Late Tuesday evening the United States steamship Buffalo, a converted cruiser in command of Capt. Pond, sighted the little craft with the occupants wildly waving signals of distress. While rescuing the party Hooline, the sailor, was thrown from the deck of the cruiser into the water and drowned.

Finally Easton and his family were safely taken aboard the Buffalo, which proceeded to Avalon.

RECRUITS CONTINUE TO JOIN ARMY

John C. Becker of Mound Prairie was sent to Ft. Snelling this morning where he has been enlisted in the infantry. Theo. Pulzin and Charles Smith of Dresbach have been enlisted and will be sent to Fort Snelling the first of next week. First Lieutenant E. C. Wells visited at the local recruiting station yesterday and was well pleased with the showing made by the La Crosse station. Private Jesse S. Callahan returned this morning from a canvassing trip, stopping at Austin, Preston and Caledonia.

WOMEN PITCHED FROM BUGGY

There was an exciting runaway on the north side this morning which might have been very serious as well.

Mrs. Schroeder and daughter were driving along Kane street and in trying to pass the steam roller, the horse became frightened and overturned the buggy throwing the women out on the boulevard. The horse dashed up the street, but was finally caught. The buggy and the harness were badly damaged. The women were not injured.

WIND CAUSES CIRCUS SMASHUP.

JACKSON, Minn., May 28.—A special circus train, carrying twenty-five cars and pulled by two engines, was wrecked when five empty box cars on a siding were started in motion by a terrific wind, and running into an open switch went out on the main track and down the steepest hill with the speed of a passenger train, crashing into the approaching circus special.



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LEAGUE PARK

COMMITTED THEFT BEFORE

And Sentence Was Suspended—Part-
ing Between Mother and Boy
Is Pathetic

He didn't know that it was stealing, was all the excuse that Frank Netwal gave when arraigned in court this morning to answer the charge of stealing the baseballs, mitts, sweaters, stockings, bats and other articles from the club house at the ball grounds.

Some time ago the club house was broken into and everything of value was taken. The police have been on the case ever since and the arrest of young Netwal was the result. He was given a year in the reformatory for the theft. In sentencing him the fact that he had been up on a similar charge before and at that time sentence was suspended was taken into consideration.

The boy's mother was in court and when the sheriff stepped forward to take his charge the parting was pathetic, the mother throwing her arms about the boy's neck and sobbing.

AGED PERJURER IS DENIED AN APPEAL

LONDON, May 28.—The appeal of Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, found guilty on April 9th of perjury in testifying in the Druce case to the alleged identity of the Duke of Portland with T. C. Druce, has been denied and the woman today was sentenced to 18 months in prison. She is 70 years old.

Blacksmith and Watchmaker

There are tricks in all trades but ours, is an old saying. There are also a lot of people who are always willing to do work a little less than others without offering any satisfactory reason for so doing. This is true of the watch business, and you will find in nine cases out of ten the reason is incompetency. A fine watch needs the services of a good mechanic and in the hands of the skilled watchmaker it will give the best results and be the cheapest in the end.



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SEATE DEALING WITH EMERGENCY CURRENCY TODAY

(Continued from page 1.)

cent required by the present law is stipulated, and all of it shall be held in Washington. The emergency currency issuable shall not exceed in the aggregate \$500,000,000. Such currency shall be subject to a retirement tax at the rate of 5 per cent per annum for the first month and an additional 1 per cent per month thereafter until 10 per cent is reached. State, county and municipal bonds shall be acceptable as security for emergency currency at 90 per cent of their market value. Other bonds and commercial paper to be issued through currency associations as basis for emergency currency shall be similarly acceptable at 75 per cent of their market value.

In this last clause it will be seen that railroad bonds, the suggestion of which lead Senator La Follette to offer his rider for approval of railroad properties when the original Aldrich bill was up, and which Senator Aldrich himself withdrew, are again made eligible as a basis for emergency currency. It is this, among other things, that it said to impel Senator La Follette to again fight the measure.

No bank shall be allowed to take out emergency circulation in an amount excessive of 30 per cent of its capital and surplus when the security offered is commercial paper. No emergency currency may be taken out under any circumstances unless the obligant bank has already taken out, according to the present law, an amount of currency equal to 40 per cent of its capital stock and surplus.

Up to 90 Per Cent of Face
The provision from the Aldrich bill is incorporated in the conference bill that banks which hold state, county or municipal bonds may, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, take out additional currency directly upon them up to 90 per cent of their market value—that is, they may do so on their individual initiative and responsibility.

The use of commercial paper as a basis for taking out emergency currency may be only by banks which affiliate themselves in groups of not less than ten, was an aggregate capital under surplus of not less than \$5,000,000. Such groups shall be known as "National Currency Associations" instead of "National Clearing House associations," the clearing house associations of the country having objected to the use of the latter's name.

Commission Provided For
A clause creating a currency commission committee, composed of nine members of the house and nine of the senate, is carried in the bill.

GOULD LINES ARE HIT BY BIG STRIKE

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—The long threatened strike of carmen on the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain roads—the Gould lines—is on. Reports to headquarters of the Brotherhood of Railroad Carmen here show that twelve hundred men walked out at points on the system today. The strike was caused, the men claim, by the company's breaking a contract with them, and substituting piece work for the hourly basis of pay formerly in effect.

DONS AND FRANKS DUELING TO DEATH

PARIS, May 28.—A vendetta of French and Spanish soldiers jointly engaged in policing Morocco has followed a clash at Casa Blanca May 17th, in which two Spaniards were killed and several Frenchmen wounded, according to complaints from the officers of both nationalities. Duels between individuals are almost daily occurrences and several deaths have resulted.

LYNCH GIVES "FIGGERS."

CHICAGO, May 28.—Gov. John A. Johnson's campaign managers announced yesterday they were justified in declaring that William Jennings Bryan would not be nominated on the first ballot at the Denver convention, nor upon the second or third ballot.

Every delegation and every delegate that has not been roped and branded by the Nebraskan is optimistically placed in the Johnson column. The southern states, the statement says, have 260 votes and more than half of them will be against Bryan, making more than one-third of the national gathering hostile to the Nebraskan.

Bryan's nomination would seem to be impossible, and Gov. Johnson's nomination is the only alternative.

TO TEST BASEBALL "LID"

MANKATO, Minn., May 28.—Commercial travelers spending Sunday in the city had intended to test Mayor Andrews' order prohibiting Sunday baseball, demanding separate jury trials if arrested, but were deterred by the rain. They propose to make the test next Sunday. A team has been organized at each of the two leading hotels.

A LITTLE BITTER.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Ritter, 713 Division street, an 8 1/2 pound child. Mrs. Ritter is at St. Francis hospital.

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Dr. Thomas E. Green, one of the leading attractions of our coming Chautauqua is a notable man on and off the platform, a minister of rare pulpit power and companionable flesh and blood man on the street or in the home. Though not a politician his face is probably more familiar to national convention delegates than that of most great politicians for he has been chaplain of four different national conventions. On one of these occasions after the prayer had been made by the doctor, reaching every ear in the vast convention hall with his round voice and splendid enunciation, the secretary of the convention rose to read a list. His voice squeaked and cracked in the effort. "Sit down man, sit down," yelled a big Scotch delegate from up state. "Sit down and give it to the Elder. He'll read it."

Dr. Green is by the way a 33rd degree Mason, a prominent figure in the Sons of the American Revolution and connected creditably with other notable organizations. Personally he is a plain quiet gentleman with a touch of the cosmopolitan, socially as charming as he is popular as a lecturer. His rise to wide public notice and approval was extremely rapid. Within two years after he began to accept occasional lecture dates the demand for his services was heard from both sides of the continent, and the Redpath Lyceum bureau to secure him was obliged to over bid other bureaus to the largest contract price ever given a public lecturer.

LURED GIRL; IS GIVEN SIX MONTHS

After luring a country girl away from her home with tales of "life in the city" and keeping her for a month, Joseph Sumbach was this morning sentenced to 6 months in the county jail.

When Miss Ethel Stopt realized the real facts she was afraid to return to the parental roof to ask forgiveness, and she continued to stay with him at the various hotels about the city.

When arraigned in court he pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced as stated above.

TWO DISASTERS TOTAL TO 2,000

Victoria, B. C., May 28.—A disaster involving the loss of 2,000 lives, 1,000 in a typhoon and flood in Hankow, and an equal number in a mine fire in Kwang Si, was reported from China today in messages brought by the Japanese liner Shinano, just in from the Orient.

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The "Favorite Prescription" is advised for the cure of one class of diseases—those of the female system, such as leucorrhoea, irregularities and prostrations incident to womanhood. It is a powerful yet gently acting invigorating tonic and nerve. For weak women, over-worked women—no matter what has caused the break-down, "Favorite Prescription" will be found most effective in building up the strength, regulating the womanly functions, subduing pain and bringing about a healthy, vigorous condition of the whole system.

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RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 655,329.67
Overdrafts	703.53
U. S. and other Bonds and Securities	74,364.50
Banking House and Fixtures	8,000.00
In Reserve Banks	185,209.73
Cash in Vault	87,747.86
	\$1,011,845.28
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	15,946.80
Deposits	835,898.48
	\$1,011,845.28

THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE

MAY 14, 1906

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$2,720,679.29
Overdrafts	2,849.19
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	250,000.00
Other bonds	312,600.00
Banking house	50,000.00
Other real estate	100.00
Cash Resources—	
N. Y. city bonds to secure U. S. deposits	\$58,000.00
With Banks	542,785.13
With treasurer U. S.	12,506.00
In vaults	299,700.32
Total	\$4,249,213.93
LIABILITIES.	
Capital	\$250,000.00
Surplus	250,000.00
Undivided profits	42,785.93
Reserved for interest	14,500.00
Circulation	241,600.00
Deposits	3,450,328.00
Total	\$4,249,213.93

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Kreutz's La Crosse orchestra will be the whole thing at a Decoration day ball to be given at Woodmen hall, Linker building, on that holiday evening, Saturday, May 30.

Because the orchestra is to give the ball, there will be 25 pieces in the orchestra, and the orchestra will be hosts as well as dispenser of music.

"We've helped entertain at thousands of dances," said Director Kreutz today. "Now we are going to give a ball of our own. We want it to be the most enjoyable event of the season. With 25 pieces in the orchestra, each one in the hands of an artist, the music will be equal to any ever dispensed at a dance in La Crosse."

The boys of Kreutz's organization are appreciative of the fact that they have a multitude of friends and admirers in La Crosse. They know they are wanted wherever good music is desired. They have been given a liberal patronage, and they propose to give an entertainment that will be a treat, to which they earnestly hope all their friends may go. As Mr. Moritz Langstadt said when discussing the proposed dance with Mr. Kreutz during his recent visit to La Crosse, "It's a fine idea, and everybody will enjoy it to beat the band."

DEAD MAN GRIPS REINS

SPEARFISH, S. D., May 28.—Trotting up to the farmhouse of Joseph Grant, near here, Grant's team stopped at the door. When Mrs. Grant went to see why her husband found not all right from the seat, she found him sitting stone dead, holding the reins. He was on the way home from town and lightning struck him. Only a slight mark showed the effect of the stroke which killed him.

If some married men do not lie about what keeps them out until 2 a. m. it's probably because their wives are not at home to ask them.

LA CROSSE IS TO HAVE FOOTBALL

REAL ARTICLE WILL BE PLAYED HERE THIS FALL

CAPT. TOURTELLOTTIE TALKS

Besides Present Stars Some Good Players Are to Enter the High School This Fall

"The La Crosse high school is going to have a football team that will sweep the state next fall," said Captain Tourtelotte, who was elected captain for the coming season. "We have the best material to pick from that the high school has ever had." According to the present outlook the captain's prophecy will be fulfilled. Although such men as the Dahlgren brothers and Archie Larson will not be here to play, there are others to take their places who will fill the bill. Roady from Black River Falls comes here to school next fall and will probably take a place in the line. Massey, the sprinter, who captured first place in the 220 yard dash in the interstate meet, was considered a likely candidate for the team, as he had intended to finish his high school course here, but he was found to be ineligible because he had made a professional out of himself by running at some country fair for a few dollars. The Hundredmark brothers of Caladonia intend to finish high school at the local school and will be valuable additions to the team. One of the brothers plays a strong game at end and the other is a good line-man. Jungbluth will be included in the next season's line-up and many others who played on the team last year will be there.

Artemis Club Banquet.
The Artemis club of the high school has invited the Lincoln Douglas Debating society to a banquet to be given at the Artemis club rooms next Saturday evening. The feast will be something great, as all the Artemis club girls attend cooking school and are well versed in the culinary art.

High School to Have New Teachers.
The faculty of the high school will undergo a great change next term, as many of the teachers now there are planning to resign and new ones will take their places. About eight teachers will go. It is rumored that the majority of them will take up positions in the school of matrimony and the high school will again lose teachers because of the same ailment which has caused so many to resign in the past two years.

Athletes Go to Ripon.
A number of the boys who took part in the interstate meet last Saturday afternoon go to Ripon today where they will take part in the contest there. The qualifications for Ripon are lower than they are for Madison, so that a greater number are allowed to go. It is expected that a few of the huskiest ones will come back wearing the badges which show that they won a place there.

Hardest Game of the Season.
The toughest game of the baseball season comes off next Saturday afternoon when the high school team goes to Sparta to take revenge for the defeat which the Spartans inflicted upon them in the early part of the season. A large delegation will attend the team. The line-up of the La Crosse team for the game is as follows:
R. Bradish or Stavrum, 3b.
Schaldach, ss.
J. Dahlgren, 2b.
A. Dahlgren, 1b.
F. Dickens, cf.
M. Novak, rf.
Holbrook, lb.
F. Novak, c.
Rynning, p.

MARITTA: Order Gold Medal Flour if your folks are picky about their victuals. SALLY ANN.

WISCONSIN MAN IS HONORED BY POPE

CHIPPEWA, Wis., May 28.—Pope Pius X. has decorated A. B. McDonnell, a tumberman and banker, with the Order of St. Gregory the Great in recognition of his liberal gifts to the Catholic church. With the other goes the title "Sir" and membership of the pope's household. The honor is especially noteworthy in that only six Orders of St. Gregory have been bestowed on United States citizens. The order will be formally conferred tomorrow by Bishop Schwabach. The emblem is a bifurcated or eight pointed cross in red enamel. The name and image of St. Gregory are displayed on a small blue shield in the center. The reverse side bears the name of the founder and the inscription, "Pro Deo Et Principe." A crown of oak leaves surmounts the cross.

ROBBERS LASSO THE CHIMNEY

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 28.—A unique attempt was made to rob the residence of George B. Wheeler, general manager of the Chippewa Valley Railway, Light and Power company, but the burglar was scared away before he secured anything of value. He had lassoed the chimney of the house with a long rope and had then climbed up to an attic window, gaining an entrance at that point. When he heard somebody entering the house the intruder climbed out of the window and slid down the rope and scampered off.

STORM DEFT BY THIEVES

PORTAGE, Wis., May 28.—During a violent electrical storm the store of P. H. Shaver & Co. was broken into and the desks and tills ransacked. The sum of \$8.70 in small change was stolen from the cash register.

A WISE SHOPPER NEVER LOSES AN OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE

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THESE MARVELOUS BARGAINS AND AVAIL YOURSELF TO THE FULLEST EXTENT

GENUINE BARGAIN OPPORTUNITY

Owing to the backward season we find nearly all stocks heavily overloaded, and it becomes necessary for a determined clearance of all surplus stock. To what extent we have gone in price cutting can be judged best by the following items. We wish you to thoroughly understand that the price reductions are bona fide and the savings are extraordinary—they're not common, the every day ones—you get the goods that are to be cleared out at cost and in many cases less than cost.

COME AND LOOK THEM OVER AND BE CONVINCED

65c Dress Goods 49c Black and colored Panamas of good quality, regularly worth 65c. While it lasts priced at the yard 49c	\$1.25 & \$1.50 Suitings A good assortment of Dress Suitings that are regularly worth \$1.25 and \$1.50. To close out quickly priced at the yard 78c	Persian Lawns 22c A lot of good quality Persian Lawns in choice patterns and colorings. While they last priced at the yard only 22c	15c Organdies 10c A choice lot of Organdies regularly sold at 15c. The lot must be disposed of quickly, while it lasts, priced at the yard 10c
35c Emb Swiss 18c A lot of Embroidered Swiss of good quality and choice patterns, regularly worth 35c. For speedy clearance priced at the yard 18c	\$1.25 & \$1.50 Fancy Silk 79c A lot including the choicest pattern Fancy Silk that regularly sold at \$1.25 and \$1.50. For quick clearance 79c	15c Towels 9c A lot of good quality Huck and Turkish Towels regularly worth 15c. Must be cleared at once. Your choice while they last 9c	15c Muslin 6 3/4 4c A lot of good quality bleached Muslin in desirable lengths, worth to 15c; while it lasts at the yard 6 3/4 c
20c India Linon 10c A lot of desirable length remnants of a good quality India Linon, worth up to 20c; while it lasts, at the yard 10c	25c Wash Goods 10c A lot of Madras, Pique and Lace Stripe Wash Goods, regularly sold at up to 25c; while it lasts priced 10c	35c White Goods 15c Mercerized white goods, in desirable lengths, formerly sold at up to 35c, tomorrow and while it lasts at the yard 15c	25c White Goods 12 1/2 c A lot of desirable remnant lengths in Long Cloth and Nainsook, formerly sold at up to 25c; choice at the yard 12 1/2 c
All Unbleached Muslin, 10 yards for 59c Amoskeag Apron Gingham 10 yards for 69c	15c Toweling 10c A good quality bleached Toweling, regularly sold at 15c. While it lasts priced at the yard 10c	89c Louisine 59c A good quality fancy check Louisine, values that formerly sold at up to 89c; choice at the yard 59c	60c Table Linen 49c A splendid quality unbleached table linen 68 inches wide, 60c quality, priced at the yard 39c
15c Shirtings 10c An assorted lot of good quality shirtings in choice dark colors and patterns; regular 15c quality at the yard 10c	Crash Toweling 5c Your choice of two good quality Crash Toweling really worth 8c, a big quantity to dispose of. While it lasts priced at 5c	15c Toweling 10c A splendid quality of Damask Toweling where we have entirely too much. Regular 15c quality. Priced at the yard only 10c	Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder 17c 25c and 35c Dress Shields 12 1/2 c

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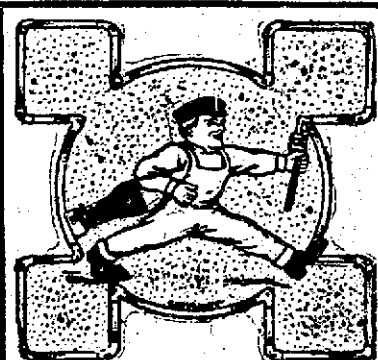
Beautiful trimmed hats made of peroxlin braid, trimmed with chiffon and flowers. Every hat is hand made. We have these in black, champ, white. Exceptional values at

\$2.48 - \$2.98 - \$3.48

Trimmed Children's Body Hats. Trimmed with silk and flowers to match, an elegant assortment to choose from and priced special at

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Children's School Hats 49c, 89c, 98c, \$1.50 and \$2.00



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We don't charge any more for it than the old-fashioned kind costs, either. In fact, we charge less. Why have dark, smelling plumbing when you can have the bright, the attractive, the healthful, at the same or a lower cost.

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DECORATION DAY

Our Store will close at noon.
On this account will have no
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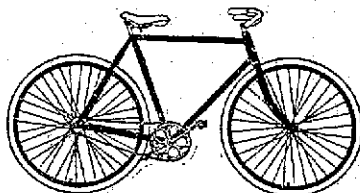
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CARD OF THANKS
We, the undersigned, wish to thank the kind friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved mother. Especially do we thank Rev. Fayville and the choir, and those who sent floral offerings. Signed Miss Louise Sees, Harry Sees, Mrs. Louis Stenseng, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Webber, Mr. and Mrs. P. Redding.

PERSONALS

Change of program at the Bijou

tonight. Yeomen meeting tonight. Special entertainment. Coren Hall. Come. Dr. Sara Nimocks has returned from Ida Grove, Iowa, where she was called on account of the serious illness of a sister.

William Tisch has returned from a trip to Texas.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

M. J. La Court is in Milwaukee for a few days on a business mission.

J. P. Fetter has returned from a business trip to Mankato.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lawrence have returned from an extended visiting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sterling are in St. Paul for a few days visiting friends.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Alderman Harry Hirschheimer has left on a business trip through the east.

Mrs. James Smelser has returned from a visit with friends at Viroqua.

A number of men from Neshonic's mills are down as witnesses in the Goddard suit, to testify for the railroad company.

Hack calls promptly attended to. Phone 178 Gateway City Taxi Line.

Mrs. A. W. Fitzpatrick and mother, Mrs. P. Peterson, left last night for Tunnel City, where they will visit for a few weeks.

M. Voller and family of Flaudreau, S. D., are the guests of friends in the city for a few days.

M. Crane of Houston has returned home after spending a few days in the city with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Halebur of Eau Claire are the guests of friends in the city for a few days.

Mrs. A. Suggens of Flaudreau, S. D., is in the city for a few weeks' visit with relatives.

Mrs. L. E. Nelson of Lake Mills has returned home after visiting friends in the city.

J. Volden of Mable is in the city on a business mission.

A. Samich of Whalan was calling on business acquaintances in La Crosse yesterday.

T. Fisher and daughter of Madison are visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Mrs. J. Hendrick of West Prairie is visiting friends in La Crosse for a few days.

C. E. Ward has returned to Chasburg after transacting business here.

GREAT NAVAL TEST HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL

OLD POINT COMFORT, May 28.—In the naval bombardment experiments yesterday the monitor Florida withstood the most severe test that has ever been inflicted on a war vessel of the American navy during times of peace, surviving the terrific onslaught from the twelve and four-inch guns of her sister ship, the Arkansas, and although, at several times, twice with shells containing a new high explosive, the composition of which is kept secret, she was taken back to the Norfolk navy yard in the afternoon but little damaged. The heavy eleven-inch armor plate on the right front of her turret was stove in, and several steel tubes of her new military mast were cut in twain, but she was otherwise undamaged. The tests were highly successful in every light.

FRATERNAL RESERVE LODGE AT SPARTA

On Tuesday and Wednesday the F. R. A. of Sparta was re-organized, a number from La Crosse, Bapcor and Tomah attending. A banquet was served the visitors by Mrs. Thornburg, of Sparta and a dance was held in the hall. The installation and accompanying entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed by the visitors. Those present from La Crosse were: Mrs. Dr. Watterson, Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. Al Smith, Miss Land, Mrs. Frankenstein, Al Radtke and Mrs. Boardman.

TUBERCULAR SHOW HERE NEXT FALL

Secretary Hutchins of the State University has written Rev. Clements of this city informing him that the exhibit of tuberculosis will be sent to this city some time in the early fall. It will probably be here in time for the inter-state fair.

She—Men live much faster than women. "Well, I admit it takes a woman much longer to reach the age of 30 than it does a man."

IRVINE'S GRADUATION PRESENTS

Gifts that give genuine pleasure to the wearer.
Signed Rings, \$2.00 to \$10.00.
Beautiful rings for both girls and boys.
All the latest designs and finishes — MONOGRAMS, ENGRAVED FREE.
Set Rings \$2.00 up
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15 Jewel Watch, 20 year gold filled case \$12.50
In both ladies' and gents' sizes

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Sign of the Post Clock

CITY NEWS

PLUMBERS ACCUSE CITY.—The local plumbers claim that the city, in taking the work of installing water meters into their own hands have taken away their business. The city in return claims that by doing it better work is done and that the property owners are saved from \$3 to \$4 on a job.

CITY OWNERSHIP DEBATED.—The Economic club of the Frothingood of Andrew and Phillip at their last meeting debated the question, "Resolved, that the city of La Crosse should own and operate its own street car system." The affirmative won. The debaters were Samuel Johnson and Lawrence Kennedy on the affirmative and the negative was represented by George Barrett and Charles Stam.

GOES BACK TO WIFE.—The case against Leo Replogle, charged with failure to support his wife, was nolleed in circuit court yesterday. A number of the war comrades of Replogle interceded and the "family reunion" was the result.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.—Mr. Arthur Gilbertson and Miss Julia C. Mickelstad, both of this city, have been granted a license to wed.

NEW TROUGH IN.—The watering trough on State street between Third and Fourth streets, has been installed and will prove a great accommodation to the horsemen passing that vicinity.

A FAREWELL PARTY

CASHTON, Wis., May 28.—Miss Alice Campbell, a graduate of the 1908 class of the Cashton High school gave a senior farewell class party at her home Tuesday evening, May 26th.

Promptly at 8 p. m. the classmates arrived and were ushered into the reception room which was tastefully decorated with class colors, cardinal and white. Games were played and beautiful prizes given. Following are the ones which received the prizes. Best prizes were awarded to Louis Schmitz and Elizabeth Elkjarud. The hooby prizes were given to Louis Johnson and Francis Dolon. At 11 p. m. the class choose partners which were now led to the dining room which was beautifully and artistically decorated both with class flowers and pennants. Refreshments were now served, toasts were given and more games were played, and such good fun was had that the party did not go to their homes till 2 o'clock a. m.

It being a farewell party the class escorted each other to their homes in a body and class yells and songs awoke many.

Miss Alice Campbell was a charming hostess, and the guests united in saying that it was the nicest party of the year.

Following were the guests: The Misses Alice Campbell, Eorra, DuMez, Lillian Mitty, Myrtle Mitty, Myrtle Bates, Messrs. Francis Dolan, Sylvester Cramer, Louis Johnson and Louis Schmitz, all of class '08.

The other guests invited were the Misses Josephine and Phoebe Campbell, also the Misses Edna Campbell, Elizabeth Elkjarud and Petula DuMez of class '05, and Martin Dolon and Orion Nelson of class '07.

Work on the new crossing will be started soon as the brick arrives. Stones and cinders have been hauled so when the brick arrives it will not take long before work will be completed.

Friday the Cashton High school team goes to Viroqua to play ball at the latter's diamond.

Rev. Elkjarud, wife and daughter Elizabeth will in a few weeks go to Norway where they will remain a year when they will come back and Rev. Elkjarud will again resume his work in the Lutheran church here.

Preferred Confinement

"I am sorry for you," said a tender-hearted old lady, visiting a convict prison, to one of the prisoners. "I suppose you'll be thankful when the time comes to leave this dreadful place?"

"No!" returned the man. "I'd a sight rather stop where I am!"

"How strange," said the visitor to the warden as she turned away. "I had no idea the prisoners were so contented. What was the poor man's offense?" she continued.

"E were a bit too absent minded," marm," replied the warden with a grin.

"Absent minded?" explained the astonished lady.

"Yes, marm," explained the officer. "E kep forgettin' as 'ow e were a married man. And e's got five wives awaiting for 'im outside."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Which Shall It Be ?

A package of Rexall Straw Hat Cleaner at 25c, or a new hat at \$3.00. Why don't you save that \$2.75 for soda water—or something else at

ERHART'S
RED CROSS DRUG STORES

SOCIETY

AFFAIRS FOR MISS PAGE.

Miss Lulu Page, a bride of June, is the recipient of many pretty affairs from her girl friends. On Tuesday evening Mrs. Joe Calloway was hostess at a luncheon and shower for Miss Page, in her apartments at the Allen House, 214 North Seventh street.

The evening was pleasantly passed in a social time, and Miss Page was presented with a cut glass water set and a sugar and creamer.

The guests were: Misses Edith Cutting, Bess Cutting, Maud Loveland, Pearl Loveland, Meta Masenager, Agnes Lang, Jessie Asplin, Mrs. Calloway and Miss Page. It was a very enjoyable affair. Another social affair will be tendered Miss Page this evening by the Misses Edith and Bess Cutting, at their residence, 317 West avenue north, which will be in the nature of a china shower. Some pleasant affairs are also planned for next week.

SPIRITUALISTS PICNIC

The members and friends of the Spiritualist church participated in a picnic at Myrick park on Sunday. The long table was set for 38 and every one did justice to the good things set before them. After that various games were played and every one present had a good time. The day was lovely and many more such good occasions are looked forward to.

GOOD SAMARITAN

SOCIETY HAS MEETING

The Good Samaritan society of the North Side had an interesting meeting yesterday at the home of the president, Mrs. Winell. The organization is one for charitable purposes, and many needy cases are under the direct supervision of the society. About forty ladies, including some from the south side, were present yesterday, and after a social time and business meeting, delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Dwyer, 632 Mill street.

PLEASANT SURPRISE

Mrs. Thomas Ives was pleasantly surprised last evening by twenty of her friends, who came into the house during her absence and took complete possession.

The evening was spent in playing cards and various forms of amusement. The head prize was awarded to Mrs. John V. Palmer.

ENTERTAINS AT CARDS

Mrs. George Wheeler will entertain a number of her friends at cards tomorrow afternoon at her home, 108 North Sixth street.

EUROPE

(Success Magazine.) Europe is a place where all good Americans go to. It came into prominence shortly after the civil war.

The open palm first rose in Europe and was imported at this country by Sir Walter Raleigh. Hence Palm Beach and palm rooms.

Europe raises for our use counts, princes and dukes, ruins, and old masters. It also furnishes new styles and diseases. From it we receive the most lasting forms of drunkenness.

Europe is used for honeymoon purposes, and for those who are used to American hotels it is a form of penance.

Its importance as a topic of conversation can hardly be overestimated. It makes more talk than any other product.

Europe is also useful as a means of getting acquainted with your next door neighbor. While traveling with him on the other side there is usually time between stations to ascertain his name and business.

As a place of refuge for our principal millionaires, it is becoming more and more useful every year, and more affectionately regarded by all patriotic Americans.

It pays to be polite. For instance, if you pass the bread before helping yourself, the one to whom you pass it gets the top slice, which is apt to be a little dry.

Soda Crackers that crackle as good Soda Crackers should

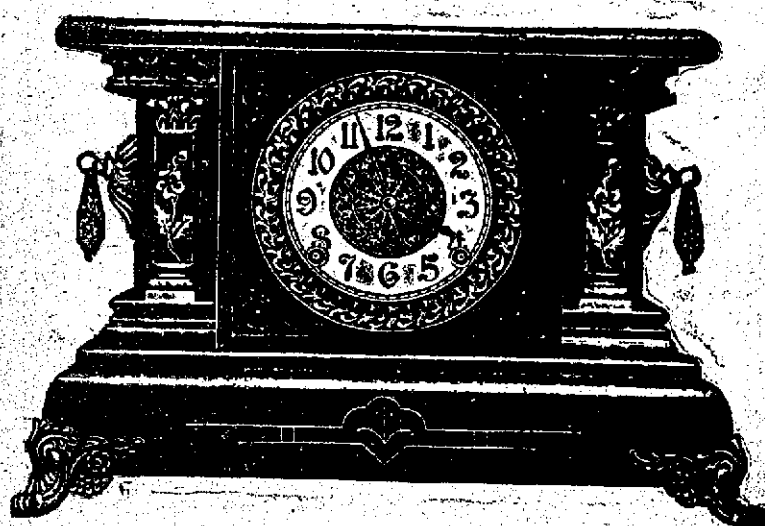
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A STRAW HAT FOR DECORATION DAY

Our stock of straws is now complete. The last shipment arrived yesterday. The variety includes everything that is correct in shape. The qualities include everything that is best and the values excel any we've ever had to offer and the prices are right.

High Class Toggery

For any of these little dress essentials such as neckwear, shirts, collars and cuffs, hosiery, etc., you have the best assortment here.

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Rummage the Old Trunk

An hour or two spent over the old trunk will end in many unexpected profitable results.

You'll find things you didn't know you had, and all useless to you. Don't throw them away—don't destroy the old clothing because it is out of date—some one wants it—will pay you a good price for it. Books or magazines, even if the covers have been torn, can be sold. You may find odd pieces of silverware, discarded when new designs came into use, or perhaps some pictures you grew tired of.

Sort them all out—those you wish to part with—then place a want ad in the TRIBUNE and find out who can use them.



Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, will equip shop for you or furnish positions, few weeks complete, constant practice, careful instructions, tools given, Saturday wagon, diploma granted, write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army, able-bodied men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer at Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—A porter at the Schiller, 110 So. 4th St.

WANTED—Tinsmiths at once. Badger Steel Roofing & Corrugating Co., cor. 7th & La Crosse Sts.

WANTED—First class painters. Apply to Geo. W. Scott, 217 N 11th St.

WANTED—Bell boy at the Cameron House. Apply to manager.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Dining room girls at Hotel Bronson.

WANTED—Dining room girl at Northwestern Hotel, 319 Vine.

WANTED—At 1004 Cass St. an experienced cook and a second girl.

WANTED—Girls to run sewing machines. Steady employment. Apply at once La Crosse Clothing Company, Second and State.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, family of two. Good wages for right party, 1624 Locust.

WANTED—Apprentice girl, dress-making, 822 So. 4th.

WANTED—A washerwoman at 907 State.

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework, 424 So. 4th.

WANTED—Girl for second work. Good wages. Apply, Leigh Toland, 1402 King St.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing for family. Call after 3 p. m. at 1029 Cameron Ave.

WANTED—Girls at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 So. 6th.

WANTED—A good cook. Apply Mrs. Thompson's house boat, opposite city.

WANTED—A girl at the Chop Suey house, 125 S. 3rd.

WANTED—Competent girl for second girl. Apply to Mrs. Henry Gund, 1509 King St.

WANTED—Girl in marking and sorting department. Modern Steam Laundry.

WANTED—Experienced fine clothes ironer, good wages. Modern Steam Laundry.

For Sale

FOR SALE—I have a piano for sale. Nearly new, French Buhl Walnut Case, handsome Colonial style, beautiful tone and excellent action. Leaving city and do not care to ship it. Was \$385.00 when new, will sell at a great bargain. Please address, E. B. Tribune.

FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law, bound in half leather. Will sell cheap. Address, F. K. G., care Tribune.

FOR SALE—Gas range, 618 So. 5th. Old phone, 2242.

For Rent

FOR SALE—Second hand baby carriage. Price \$4.00. Address, 25, this office.

FOR SALE—Nine room house, good barn, fine water, everything in good condition. Inquire at 1322 Pine St.

FOR SALE—Sideboard, dining room table, china closet and go-cart. Call mornings, 1212 Market St.

FOR SALE—Small barn, very good condition. Enquire Aug. Lautz, 211 No. 3rd St.

FOR SALE—One 8 room house on large lot with barn, \$2,100. Inquire 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—All kinds of lumber at the Hill View Farm, by Otto Granke, 832 Ross St.

FOR SALE—One sideboard, dining room table and chairs and Majestic range, 316 Mill St.

FOR SALE—Eight room cottage, lot 52x100, city water; must be sold at once. Address, 52 Tribune.

FOR SALE—Very desirable corner lot, 45x149, to an alley; good locality, cheap for cash. Address, A. T. Tribune.

FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Market street, between 15th and 16th. Enquire at Tenneson's, the grocer, 1307 Market St.

FOR SALE—Automobile, good as new, detachable tonneau, \$350 if taken at once, 426 So. 9th.

FOR SALE—Upright piano, nearly new, cheap, if taken at once. Address "M," Tribune.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms, modern. apply second floor, Tribune Bldg.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, 403 W. Ave. So. Call between 11 and 12 o'clock a. m.

FOR RENT—Small house, cor. Main and 12th. Enquire 113 S. 2nd.

FOR up-to-date furnished room call at 718 State.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 718 Main.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 113 No. 3rd St.

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 212 Rose. Enquire 216 Rose.

FOR RENT—Modern house, reasonable rent, 1217 Johnson.

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room, \$4.00, 525 So. 5th St.

Bicycles

"RACYCLE"—The largest selling high grade wheel in the world. Weis Book Store, 509 Main St.

To Rent

WANTED TO RENT—Modern cottage, central location. Will give long lease for desirable property. Address, A. B. C., care Tribune.

Lost

LOST—Mexican double yellow head polly. Return 916 Division. Reward.

LOST—Hound, black and tan with white markings, about twenty inches high, six toes on back feet, strap around neck. Return to O. H. Hulberg, 228-230 Main St.

Architects, Superintendents

SCHICK & ROTH—Batavian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

Shoe Repairing

ALL KINDS of shoe repairing done at reasonable prices. E. Anderson, 832 Caledonia St. New phone 761M.

Instructions

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Insurance

TORNADO INSURANCE—\$4.00 per thousand for 3 years; \$6.00 for 5 years. C. S. Van Auken, 228 Pearl St.

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FOR RENT. Flat with city heat, very desirable, located. \$28.00.

Large brick store, good location. \$25.00.

FOR SALE. A good 2-story 7-room house, with 2 lots, 1229 Farnam Street. \$2,900.

2 lots with fine buildings, 108x150, very desirably located, \$4,500.

One of the finest residences in the city in best location, inquire at office Lot in Madison Court. \$1,100.

Fine modern residence. \$7,500.

2 lots, with factory building, store with double dwelling above, cottage, barn and sheds, \$900 rent income, all for. \$7,150.

1 lot with 2 large dwellings, all modern except furnace heating. \$3,100.

2 lots, corner S. W. Anderson's 3rd addition. \$400.

Lot with 2 houses, 1234 South Eleventh. \$1,050.00.

120 acre farm, 10 miles from La Crosse. \$4,200.

A fine property on Main thoroughfare, 50x172 with large brick residence and smaller frame dwellings. \$5,000.

Insurance and Money to Loan

CARPETS taken up, cleaned and delivered, 3 and 4c per yard. Satisfaction guaranteed. Rugs made from worn-out carpets. New phone, 968R. old phone, 951. Oriental Rug Co., 520 Mill St. Enos E. Johnson, Mgr.

Carpet Cleaning

CARPETS taken up, cleaned, relaid. Called for. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Both phones. La Crosse Rug Co., 109 Main.

A very enjoyable thing about fishing is wives never want to go along.

Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 822 Main street, upstairs.

Excursions

STEAMER E. RUTLEDGE can now be chartered for excursions. For rates and dates apply to F. J. Fugina, Fountain City, Wis.

Coast Shipments

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Miscellaneous

TABLE BOARD—Reasonable price, 118 So. 9th.

ROOM & BOARD—122 No. 5th.

TABLE BOARD with or without rooms, 311 So. 5th.

WANTED A secondhand safe. Give dimensions, price and full particulars. Address, Flat B, 332 Cass St., City.

WANTED—Work by the day. Call old phone, 3533.

WANTED—Children to try our merry-go-round—2 rides for 5c; grown people 5c. 11th and Jackson.

WANTED—Vacant room to store furniture for summer. J. A. Westby, 1212 Market.

\$35,000 DAMAGES BY HAIL AND RAIN

SIX-HOUR STORM CAUSES GREAT HAVOC AT ARMOUR

SCHOOL HOUSE IS WRECKED

Hail Beats Growing Crops into the Ground and Great Damage Follows Storm Visit

ARMOUR, S. D., May 28.—A terrific rain and wind storm visited this section last night, lasting six hours, and doing more than \$35,000 damage in this locality. Over three inches of rain fell and hail beat the growing crops into the ground. Hundreds of window lights were broken out on the side next to the storm and two tall chimneys on the Armour high school building were wrecked and went crashing through three floors to the basement. The damage to the building amounts to \$5,000. Cyclonic clouds formed in the vicinity of Platte, thirty miles away, and traveled at the rate of 80 miles an hour.

Mrs. S. Joyce, 180 Sullivan St., Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years' standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it." O. T. Erhart.

TO ENLARGE STATE SCHOOL

FARIBAULT, Minn., May 28.—Bids have been received for the erection of four new buildings at the school for the feeble-minded which will cost about \$125,000. These buildings will be erected this summer and will consist of one for boys who are epileptic, one boys' custodial, one for girls who are epileptic, and a central kitchen. The contracts have not yet been let.

MARY ELLEN Gold Medal Flour is the best for making everything.

CABLE BREAKS; THREE HURT HASTINGS, Minn., May 28.—Three men were injured in an accident here yesterday morning at 9 o'clock when the cable which carries the sand bucket where the Ramsey street sewer is being dug, broke, letting the bucket and contents fall.

New Train Service Between Pierre and the Black Hills. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Huron and Rapid City, and Between Huron and the Twin Cities.

Effective May 25th, train service via The Chicago & North-Western and the P. R. C. & N. W. will include one new train per day in each direction between Pierre and Rapid City, with Pullman sleeping cars between Huron and Rapid City, leaving Huron, west-bound, train 503, 9:20 p. m. daily except Sunday; Pierre 1:10 a. m. daily except Monday; arriving Rapid City 7:38 a. m. daily except Monday. Leave Rapid City, east-bound, train 502, 8:38 p. m. daily, except Saturday, arrive Pierre 3:00 a. m. Huron 8:10 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Direct connection at Rapid City with trains to and from Deadwood, Lead, Belle Fourche and Hot Springs. Trains 501 and 504 west of Huron continue on present schedule, but will be operated daily except Sunday, between Pierre and Rapid City and Deadwood.

Through Pullman sleeping car service will be inaugurated daily between Huron and the Twin Cities, leaving Huron 8:55 p. m. arriving St. Paul 7:30 a. m. Minneapolis 8:05 a. m. and leaving Minneapolis 7:30 p. m. St. Paul 8:00 p. m., arriving Huron 7:35 a. m.

For further information apply to Ticket Agents, The North Western Line.

The race of consequential vergers is not yet extinct. Dean Pigou has a story a bout one of them, who, when a bishop asked him at what point he was to make his appearance, replied: "First I take the chair people to their places, and then, after they are seated, I return for you, my lord, and conduct you to the altar."

MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

GRABS FOR HAT; FALLS TO DEATH

MAN PLUNGES FROM RAILROAD BRIDGE INTO RAINY WATER

ACCIDENT NEAR SPOONER

Puff of Wind Carried Off His Hat and His Effort to Recover His Head Covering is Fatal

SPOONER, Minn., May 28.—Snatching for his hat when it blew from his head while he was crossing the international bridge of the Canadian & Northern railroad cost Robert Gurlick his life yesterday. In reaching for the hat, he lost his balance and plunged headlong over the edge of the bridge.

Witnesses say that a sudden puff of wind carried off Gurlick's hat. The man evidently forgot the danger of his position for a moment; made a lunge to save the head covering; lost his balance and fell. His head struck an iron bar before his body plunged into the river and was lost to sight. The blow from the bar probably rendered the man unconscious and prevented any struggle to save himself.

Many boats were soon at the scene of the accident, but Gurlick's body did not reappear. Later the corpse was recovered 20 feet below the spot where the man fell.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—The Barnes County Fair association is making preparations for the annual county fair to be held here on July 7, 8, 9 and 10. The stakes for the early events are closed and the fair will offer a better racing exhibition this year than ever before.

CROOKSTON, Minn.—Hugh R. Robertson, a citizen of Crookston for twenty-five years, has filed for the county treasurer nomination on the republican ticket.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D.—The annual picnic and celebration of the Old Settlers' association of Turner county will be held on Thursday of next week in Monroe. The gathering will be addressed by Hon. J. W. Edmunds of Parker, Hon. W. E. Edge of Centerville and other Turner county orators.

CLINTON, Ia.—The sum of \$100 will be forwarded to the Iowa headquarters of the Young Men's Christian association from Clinton. The sum is a contribution from the juniors of the Clinton association toward the maintenance of a secretary of young work in Iowa. The Clinton juniors raised the sum during one day by a canvass of the business district of the city and homes of friends.

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—Wednesday evening the Elks lodge will be instituted in Valley City, a team from Jamestown doing the work. There will be a class of sixty candidates for initiation. The lodge will begin its career with a membership of eighty-five.

STURGIS, S. D.—Fred Willard, Jr., formerly a resident of Sturgis, is dead at Denver. It is reported that he was killed in an accident.

MUSCATINE, Iowa.—The state convention of the Iowa Electric Medical association will open here Wednesday. Several hundred are here to attend it and the session promises to be an excellent one.

BARNESVILLE, Minn.—The jury in the case of W. A. Vadham vs. the Fargo & Moorhead Street Railway company, which was on trial at Moorhead brought in a verdict for \$600 in favor of the plaintiff. The case grew out of a collision between a street car and a milk wagon.

FARGO, N. D.—After charging the grand jury, Judge Munger of Omaha, who is presiding at the term of the United States court here, took up the trial of the case of Lee & Fowler vs. the Tri-State Telephone company. The attorneys sue for a sum for making the preliminary legal arrangements for the company to enter this state. There are four teen civil actions and the grand jury is expected to develop several criminal cases.

BOLT KILLS PEDESTRIAN

NEW HAMPTON, Iowa, May 28.—Pat Brannon, a prominent and respected farmer living east of town, was killed by lightning Tuesday night. He was returning from the home of a neighbor when lightning struck a fence near which he was walking. He was found some time later by his wife, who had become anxious on account of his staying so long and went to look for him.

KILLED BY 40-FOOT FALL

WATERLOO, Iowa, May 28.—While climbing a tree from which he expected to shoot birds, Gus Klutz lost his hold and fell forty feet, sustaining injuries that caused his death half an hour later. Klutz was twenty-two years old and lived in Fredericksburg, where the accident occurred.

DISTURBED THE CONGREGATION

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. O. T. Erhart's.

TRAIN KILLS DEAF MAN

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa, May 28.—Alec Tow, aged 68 years, was struck and instantly killed by a Milwaukee passenger train near Dunbar Tuesday night. He was deaf and did not hear the train coming.

DAILY MARKETS

PATTEN-ARMOUR BATTLE HOTTER

MAY WHEAT REACHES \$1.09 1-2 AND MAY CORN 82

CATTLE AND HOGS ADVANCE

GO 10 HIGHER BUT SHEEP ARE VERY INACTIVE

WALL STREET GETS BETTER

Leading Stock Issues Make Substantial Gains in First Hour—Reaction Checked

CHICAGO, May 28.—May corn jumped to 82 cents today and May wheat to \$1.09 1-2 when the struggle between J. A. Patten and J. Ogden Armour entered on its closing chapter. The short who have been caught by Patten's big corn deal scrambled wildly in efforts to buy enough to cover their contracts. The shorts have only until closing time tomorrow to settle and bought every bushel of corn offered. One house dumped 50,000 bushels of corn on the market when the price reached 82c.

The rise in wheat was not accompanied by fireworks, as the offerings were few. Armour is conceded to have the May wheat shorts at his mercy.

Cattle and Hogs Up. CHICAGO, May 28.—Cattle and hogs each climbed 10 today with light receipts, but sheep were very weak.

Cattle, 2,000; beefs, \$6 to \$7.25; stockers, \$3.30 to \$5.35. Hogs, 14,000; light, \$5.25 to \$5.55; heavy, \$5.35 to \$5.60; pigs, \$4.30 to \$5.70. Sheep, 11,000; natives, \$3.50 to \$5.25; lambs, \$4 to \$6.70.

Poultry, Dairy, Etc. NEW YORK, May 28.—Poultry, unchanged. Butter, creamery, 22 1-2c. Eggs, nearby white, 19c. Cheese, 14 3-4c.

Kansas City Livestock.

KANSAS CITY, May 28.—Cattle, 3,000; ten cents higher; steers, \$5 to \$7.25; stockers, \$3.25 to \$5.50. Hogs, 10,000; 5 to 10 cents higher; bulk, \$5.30 to \$5.50; pigs, \$4.00 to \$4.50. Sheep, 5,000; strong; muttons, \$4 to \$4.50; lambs, \$5.25 to \$6.35.

Wall Street Revives

NEW YORK, May 28.—The market ruled generally strong all through the first hour. In the first half hour prices advanced from 1 to 2 points in nearly all active issues. The only prominent exception was American Smelting, Northern Pacific and Great Northern. St. Paul made gains of over a point and American Ice advanced to 2 1-2. Government bonds were unchanged; others irregular.

(By Miner & Co.) Chicago Markets. Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT. May ... 107 109 106 109 July ... 91 92 90 91

CORN. May ... 80 82 80 82 July ... 68 68 67 67

OATS. May ... 56 56 55 56 July ... 48 48 47 47

PORK. May ... 13.75 13.75 13.65 13.65 July ... 13.65

Minneapolis Markets. WHEAT. May ... 108 109 108 108 July ... 107 107 106 106

TODAY'S GRAIN GOSSIP

CROP CONDITIONS.

Springfield, Mo.—The writer just back from a two days' trip, most of it in a buggy in southwest Missouri, and we found miles and miles of wheat that won't make 5 bu. to the acre; some of the upland wheat looks pretty good but this is in minority. Harper, Kansas. Some country badly flayed though better than last year. Harper county wheat looks fine from the road but badly flayed. Damage will show up in week or so; damage will be serious. Freeburg, Ill.—Heavy rain again today and no corn planted here; will be several days before farmers can go in the fields with favorable weather.

KICKED IN FACE BY HORSE

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., May 28.—A message from Friberg states that William Backman, a well known farmer of that township, was kicked by a horse and seriously injured. The animal struck him in the face, splitting his lip, knocking out four teeth, breaking the jaw bone and otherwise injuring him. His sons found him unconscious some time afterward and summoned a physician. He will recover but will be disfigured.

"Collar them cigars, Bill," whispered the burglar to his mate. "No, blooming fear," came the surprising reply. "Look 'ere, there's some writing on the lid of the box." And Bill offered fervent thanks for his deliverance as he read the inscription: "To my dear husband, wishing him many happy returns, from his loving wife."

MANY CHANGES IN MARKET PRICES

VEGETABLE PRICES ALTERED CONSIDERABLY TODAY

CHEESE PRICES ARE LOWER

Fruits and Vegetables Show Big Decline as the Season Advances

This seems to be the busy day of the local markets for there are changes galore. Cucumbers have dropped to 30 and 60 cents, new potatoes to \$1.50 per bushel; navel oranges are worth \$2.50 a box; seedlings have risen to \$3.25 and \$3.50; lemons are worth \$3.00 and \$3.50; onions sell for \$1.60 and \$1.75 a crate; strawberries have fallen, off to \$2.25 and \$2.75 a case; new cabbage has come up to \$2.25 per crate. A big reduction is also noted in cheese.

(Quoted by John C. Burns.) Cucumbers, dozen ... \$0 to 60c New potatoes, bushel ... \$1.50 Apples, N. Y. Bld., bl. ... \$4.00 Apples, chippie ... \$3.00 Bananas, per bunch ... \$1.75 to \$2.50 Oranges, navel, box ... \$3.50 Oranges, seedlings ... \$3.25 to \$3.50 Lemons, 360 size, box ... \$3.00 Lemons, 300 size, box ... \$3.50 Onions, crate ... \$1.60 to \$1.75 Rutabagas, per bu. ... \$1.00 to \$1.00 Cabbage, per bl. ... \$2.25 to \$2.75 Strawberries, qt. case ... \$2.25 to \$2.75 California celery ... \$5.00 to \$10.00 Parsnips, bu. ... 60c Carrots, bu. ... 75c Pineapples, crate ... \$8.00 to \$10.00 Cocoanuts, ... \$5.00 Onions, sets ... \$2.50 to \$3.00 New cabbage, crate ... \$2.25

Flour. (Quoted by Listman-Mill Co.) Patent, per barrel ... \$5.80 Straight, per barrel ... \$5.60

Mill Feed. Shorts, per ton ... \$25.00 Bran, per ton ... \$24.00 White middlings, per ton ... \$26.00 Red Dog, per ton ... \$27.00

Grain. (Quoted by W. W. Cargill Co.) Winter wheat ... \$0 to 85c Spring wheat ... \$0 to 85c

Barley, per bushel ... \$5 to 60c Oats ... \$4 to 60c Rye ... \$6 to 65c Corn ... \$6 to 65c

Livestock. (By Langdon-Boyd Packing Co.) Hogs ... \$4.75 to \$5.00 Steers ... \$3.50 to \$5.00 Heifers ... \$2.50 to \$4.00 Cows ... \$1.50 to \$3.50 Lambs ... \$4.00 to \$5.50

Poultry. Old chickens ... \$9 to 10c Young chickens ... \$9 to 10c Turkeys, pound ... \$10 to 12c Ducks ... \$9 to 10c Geese ... \$8 to 10c

Provisions. Lard, tierce, per pound ... \$10 to 10 1/2c Hams ... \$11 to 12c Shoulders ... \$9c Bacon ... \$12 1/2 to 15 1/2c Dry beef ... \$17 to 19c

Butter and Eggs. (Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.) Creamery, per pound ... 24 to 25c Dairy, per pound ... 20 to 22c Eggs, on track, case ... \$4.15 Eggs, fresh, dozen ... \$1.15

Vegetables. (Quoted by A. B. Moll.) Young carrots, per bunch ... 5c Young beets, per bunch ... 5c Eggs, strictly fresh, dozen ... 17c Creamery butter, per pound ... 28c Dairy, per pound ... 25c Parsley, per bunch ... 5c New cabbage, each ... 5 to 8c Potatoes, per bushel ... \$1.00 Carrots, per peck ... 15c Wax beans, pound ... 15c Beets, per peck ... 20c Celery, per dozen ... 70 to 90c Cucumbers, each ... 5c Lettuce, 2 bunches for ... 5c Rutabagas, peck ... 15c Spinach, per peck ... 30c Green peppers, dozen ... 40c Turnips, peck ... 15c Grape fruit, each ... 12 1/2c Fresh tomatoes, pound ... 12 1/2c Fresh mushrooms, pound ... 75c Pineapples, each ... 20 to 15c Egg plant, each ... 18c Strawberries, quart ... 12 1/2c Green peas, quart ... 8c Asparagus, per bunch ... 50c

Fish. (Quoted by H. M. Sloger.) Pickerel ... 8c Pike, pound ... 15c White ... 15c Trout, pound ... 15c Salmon ... 15c Herring ... 4 to 5c Halibut

The PURE FOOD Show

Opens
**Monday
JUNE
1st**
7:30 P. M.

at

**PARK
ROLLER
RINK**
Fifth Street

Grandest food
exhibit ever
seen in
Wisconsin

**24
Hand-
some
Booths**

Opera House
orchestra will
furnish music
at both ses-
sions

Afternoon & Evening

Free Samples and Sou-
venirs Galore.

Ask your Grocer for a
Ticket

WISCONSIN NEWS

DAVIDSON WILL ACCEPT IT AGAIN

ACCEPTS MILWAUKEE PETITION
URGING HIM TO RUN

DECLARATION IS VERY BRIEF

But He Pledges a Faithful, Econom-
ical Execution of Laws—Thanks
People for Proffering Support

MADISON, Wis., May 28.—(Spe-
cial.)—In reply to a petition of Mil-
waukee citizens inviting him to be a
candidate for re-election, Gov. Da-
vidson has replied in a letter made
public this morning, that he will ac-
cept the call. He proposes to ad-
vance the reforms needed to safe-
guard the rights of every citizen,
and will enforce the most rigid
economy compatible with good gov-
ernment.

The petition from Milwaukee com-
menting the governor upon his eco-
nomical administration is signed by
nearly 200 representative business
men, including T. J. Peroles, T. J.
Neacy, E. C. Winkler, Dr. J. M. Be-
fel, Theo. Zillmer, James J. Illsley,
John T. Kelley, C. F. Pullen, Theo-
dore Kronshage, F. C. Lorenz, Lu-
clan R. Worden, H. P. Myrick, E. T.
Fairchild, and many others.

Letter of the Governor.
The letter of the governor follows:
"Madison, Wis., May 26, 1908.
"Gentlemen:

"I am in receipt of your communi-
cation of May 25 in which you gen-
erously endorse my administration
of the past, and request me to stand
as a candidate for re-election.

"I thank you sincerely for this
expression of confidence and proffer
of support, and accept your call to
become a candidate for governor.
Supplemented, as it is, by similar re-
quests from many other places in the
state.

"Should the people elect me for
another term, it will be my steadfast
endeavor to serve them with fidel-
ity. Whatever of ability and experi-
ence I possess will be used to ad-
vance the reforms that are needed
to safeguard the rights of every cit-
izen. It will be my purpose to en-
force the most rigid economy com-
patible with good government, and
execute the laws of the state with-
out prejudice or partiality.

"Sincerely yours,
"JAMES O. DAVIDSON."

Prize Davidson's Administration.
The petition asking the governor
to be a candidate simply crystallizes
a general sentiment. Scores of let-
ters are received daily from all sec-
tions of the state demanding that the
governor again be a candidate.

The preamble to the Milwaukee pe-
tition follows:

"To the Hon. James O. Davidson:
"Because of the able, honest and
efficient manner in which you have
for more than two years adminis-
tered the duties of your high office;
because of the desirability of retain-
ing at the head of our state govern-
ment one already familiar with the
duties of that office and especially
the details of the work of construct-
ing the new state capital building,
involving, as it does, an expendi-
ture of millions of the people's mon-
ey; and because we believe you are
best fitted to enforce and continue
the progressive policies which have
distinguished the conduct of public
affairs in this state in recent years:
We, the undersigned, citizens of Mil-
waukee, hereby respectfully request
you to become a candidate for the
republican nomination to the office
you now hold and we pledge you our
support."

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

NEENAH—The members of the
Foxgrover family say there is no
truth in the report that the family
consisted of thirteen and that a num-
ber of them met with violent deaths.

APPLETON—Notes, certificates of
deposit, deeds, and other papers of
value, stolen from the safe at the
E. A. Graef store at Hortonville about
a week ago when the safe was crack-
ed and \$600 in cash stolen, were
found hidden in a log alongside of
the road between Hortonville and
New London. G. F. Adams, arrested
some days ago at Stevens Point, is in
jail here accused of complicity in the
cracking of the Hortonville safe.

APPLETON—A considerable num-
ber of Oshkosh and Fox river valley
men came to Appleton to call upon J.
H. Weed, the occasion being the
eighty-eighth anniversary of his birth.
Mr. Weed is one of the oldest and
best known lumbermen in Wisconsin.
He has retired from active business.

APPLETON—Clarence Rogers and
Albert Schultz narrowly escaped
death in an acid vat at the plant of
the Interlake Pulp and Paper com-
pany. Both were seriously burned
with the acid and steam.

BELOIT—Burglars made an un-
successful attempt to blow open the
vault of the Exchange bank at Ros-
coe, Ill., near here.

SUPERIOR—T. J. Roth cashed a
check for \$24 which proved worth-
less.

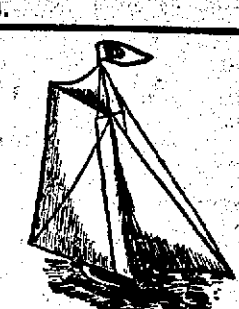
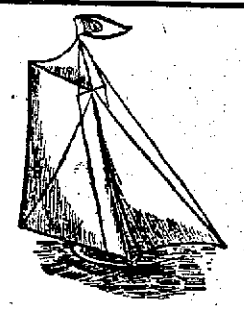
EAU CLAIRE—Israel Rabillard,
aged 40 years, has been sentenced to
two years at Waupun. Little 14 year
old Isaac Smith was the complainant.

FREDERIC—Lightning struck
Louis Sund's store at Clam Falls,
causing a loss of \$20,000.

EVANSVILLE—The Rock county
fair will be held in Evansville Sept.
1, 2, 3 and 4. A baseball game each
day will be one of the features. Good
racing and other track attractions
have been secured.

BELOIT—The ninth annual con-
vention of the Wisconsin branch of
the National Association of Letter
Carriers will be held in this city on
May 30. A banquet will be given at
night.

SATURDAY—MEMORIAL DAY—This Store Will Close at NOON—12:30—for the Exercises In Commemoration Of Our Fallen Heroes
Who Died That Our Country Might Live. The Store Will Re-open at 7 P. M. to Accommodate Saturday Evening Shoppers.



BARGAINS EXTRAORDINARY FOR
TOMORROW—16th WEEKLY
CHALLENGE SALE!

A BIG CARNIVAL OF BARGAINS ALL OVER THE STORE TOMORROW COOL CLOTHING—EVERYTHING FOR THE HOME—HELPS TO SUMMER COMFORT INDOORS AND OUT-OF-DOORS

THE GREAT MAY SALE OF WHITE IS NEARING THE TAPE—COMING HARD DOWN THE "HOME STRETCH!"

Some muslin underwear sales are like those fragile "Prince Rupert's drops of glass," "which cool quickly as soon as made," and which fly to pieces as soon as any portion is taken away. Doerflinger May muslin underwear sales are planned for two weeks of exceptionally good buying. The end draws near—it closes Saturday night—but the last few days bring to light reserve bargains that are too important to miss—too many to print, come tomorrow and see them spread out all thru the big second floor Undermuslin Salons.

20 Lucky La Crosse House- wives Will Get These Rugs

20 Matting Rugs, size 9x12 feet,
made of good cotton warp, Japanese
matting, market to sell at
less than half price \$3.98

(Third Floor.)

"Wizard" Carpet Cleaner

The Housekeeper's Boon

A sanitary preparation for use when
sweeping. It removes dust from your
carpets, rugs, linoleums and floors,
prevents dust from rising into the
air to settle again on your carpets,
furniture or pictures.

It saves time and labor of the
housewife spent usually in dusting,
scrubbing and mopping. Brightens
the colors in your rugs and carpets,
and prolongs the life and preserves
the lustre of linoleums and oil
cloths. It contains a powerful dis-
infectant that absolutely kills dis-
ease germs and renders perfectly
pure the air of the room where used.
So simple a child may use it with
best results. Cost is trifling.

2 lb. Packages at . . . 15c

5 lb. Packages at . . . 33c

Basement Housekeepers' Exchange.



A Wonderful Sale of Wom- en's Shoes at 98c.

First Floor

Women's canvas oxfords, plain toes
and tips, white and leather heels,
black oxfords in vici kid, light weight
and extension soles, patent tips, house
slippers in plain toes, low heels, one
strap, at
pair 98c

Misses' vici kid lace oxfords, patent
tips, extension soles, sizes
8 1/2 to 2, at pair 98c

Full line of men's, women's, boys'
and children's tennis shoes and ox-
fords in brown and black,
values pair at 50c to 85c



SMART SUITS FOR SWAGGER FELLOWS

AT LESS THAN "CLOTHING HOUSES" SELL
FOR

Quality for quality. Among tomorrow's special
offerings for men who want something swell and
dressy to wear on Memorial Day we note the fol-
lowing. The values are remarkable.

2nd Floor.

Lightweight summer outing
suits, light colors, in stripe,
checks and plaids; coats half
lined, padded shoulders, hair
cloth fronts; trousers medium
peg top, belt loops, side bu-
ckles, with or without cuffs.
Every suit guaran-
teed. Special at \$5.95

A special lot of men's suits in
new, stylish patterns, single or
double-breasted, dark and light
grey or plain black and blue.
Values to \$8.95

Men's Trousers

Men's \$1.50 hair line striped
trousers in dark
grey. Special \$1.19

Men's high grade trousers in
worsted, cassimeres and che-
viots, dark and light patterns;
full peg, medium or regular
style. Values to
\$4; special \$2.98

A TIMELY AND SURPASSING SALE OF WOMEN'S JACKETS

Special \$10.00

2nd Floor Salons of Dress:

The accompanying sketch represents that

"Wooltex" Jacket

You see advertised in all the leading Fashion Magazines—they
are made of fine all wool black Panama cloth and lined through-
out with guaranteed satin or Taffeta silk, beautifully tailored
with perfect lines. A most useful adjunct to any
woman's wardrobe. All sizes, 34
to 44, special at \$10

DUST AND RAIN PROOF COATS in a great variety of styles and
materials SELLING AT REDUCED PRICES very useful and styl-
ish for Auto or Traveling
wear, prices ranged from
\$4.98 to \$35.00



Smart Walking Jacket \$10.



That Surpassing Display of WOMEN'S SHIRT WAISTS In The Main Street Windows At 98c.

Is duplicated and outdone by the convention offered on special sale
in the second floor salons. There you will find astonishing val-
ues in ladies' dainty cool and pretty
\$1.50 summer shirt waists 98c

What woman has too many shirt-waists for the hot days ahead?
Friday's offering embraces hundreds of dainty new waists—chic
and charming creations of beautiful white India linen. All this
season's models and best regular \$1.50 values. As a "filler" to-
morrow, all ready, cool and
dainty for women to slip into—at 98c

(2nd Floor Salons.)

FISHING SEASON ON FULL BLAST

MOST EVERYTHING BUT BASS
CAN BE CAUGHT

ARE NO OTHER EXCEPTIONS

State Game Warden Stone Summar-
izes Exceptions to Fish Laws
and They are Few

MADISON, Wis., May 28.—(Spe-
cial.)—"With but a very few excep-
tions, all fish except bass can be
caught at the present time," said
State Game Warden J. W. Stone to-
day. "The open season for bass will
not be until June 10."

Mr. Stone summarizes the excep-
tions to the fish laws as follows:

In Devil's lake in Sauk county the
closed season for all fish shall be
from December 15 until June 15. No
fish can be caught in this lake for
over two weeks yet. The same sea-
son applies to Mirror lake and Dells
creek in Sauk county.
No fish can be caught in Lake de

Neveu, Fond du Lac county, with the
exception of carp, until June 10.

Bass of any variety cannot be
caught in Big Green lake, Green Lake
county, until July 1.

In Lakes Winnebago, Winneconne,
Butte des Morts, Little Butte des
Morts, Poygan and those parts of
the Fox and Wolf rivers which con-
nect these lakes and the big Wolf
river up to the dam at Shawano, there
shall be no closed season, except for
sturgeon and black, yellow and Os-
wego bass. The season for these
fish shall be open June 10.

"So far as I am now aware these
are all of the exceptions in the Wis-
consin acts for fishing," said Mr.
Stone. "All other fish can now be
caught."

More News from the New England
States

If any one has any doubt as to the
virtue of Foley's Kidney Cure, they
need only refer to Mr. Alvin H.
Stimpson, of Williams, Conn., who,
after almost losing hope of recovery,
on account of the failure of so many
remedies, finally tried Foley's Kid-
ney Cure, which he says was "just
the thing" for him, as four bottles
cured him completely. He is now
entirely well and free from all the
suffering incident to kidney
trouble. O. T. Erhart.

TO FIGHT THE FROST LINE.

KENOSHA, Wis., May 28.—All
efforts to settle differences between

Kenosha property owners and A. C.
Frost, president of the Kenosha
Electric railway company and the
Chicago and Milwaukee Electric
Railway company have been
in vain and a resort to the courts
is promised. The property owners
are threatening to enjoin the rail-
way company from operating cars in
the city until they have received all
the public improvements provided
for in the extension ordinances re-
cently granted. It is declared that
the city council will be enjoined from
passing any ordinance for the ex-
tension of the time for the company
to complete the tracks in the city.

EAU CLAIRE HAS A DOG SCARE

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 28.—Ex-
citement was caused when a dog be-
longing to Alfred Cyprean went
mad and began attacking all the oth-
er dogs in sight. A number of men
went after the crazed animal with
clubs and other weapons and finally
drove it into Mr. Cyprean's cellar,
where it was corralled with the as-
sistance of some ropes and tied up to
await a possible recovery.

MADISON SOCIETY WOMAN IS INSANE

MADISON, Wis., May 28.—Mrs.
Hedwig Presber, aged 45 years, and

wife of a German army officer, said
to be military advisor to the em-
peror of Germany, has been com-
mitted to the state hospital for the in-
sane at Mendota. Mrs. Presber came
here several years ago. She enter-
tained all the local professors who
had gone to school in Germany, as
well as many notables from that
country who visited the state. Her
entertainments were the talk of the
town because of the extravagance.

HOUSE FALLS ON FOUR LABORERS

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 28.—By
the collapse of supports under a
house under which they were pre-
paring to lay a foundation, Ira J.
Swartz, aged 39, married, was in-
stantly killed, his neck being broken.
C. R. Johnson, aged 39, married, was
dangerously injured, and John Mo-
narski, aged 56, and Frank Monarski,
his son, were badly injured. Geo.
W. Williams, the owner of the house,
was standing beside Swartz when the
house went down, but did not re-
ceive a scratch.

PERPETUAL MOTION HAS BEEN SOLVED

MARINETTE, Wis., May 28.—Ac-
cording to statements made by Ar-
thur Duhaime, a Marinette inventor,
the secret of perpetual motion has

A Rousing Quartette of Main Floor Bargains.

Steel filled girdles, good quality ba-
tiste, well
made, at 25c

\$1.00 bottle Hood's Sarsa-
parilla at 79c

20c Turkey Red Table
Linen at 14c

Martha Washington Turkey Red
Handkerchiefs, fast color,
worth 5c, at each 3c

Ribbons Wonderful Values 9c

First Floor

Pure silk taffeta ribbon, 3 and 1-2
in. wide, all leading colors, scarlet,
pink, blue, navy, brown, black
and white, market to sell at yard 9c

Pillow Covers, for Couch Cushions 19c

Needle Art Section, 1st Floor.

Oriental striped pillow cases with
tassels at corners, beautiful bright
colorings, sold regularly
at 25c, special 19c

Basement Economies

For Women Economists

7c Calicoes in red, pink, black and
white or light grounds and
grey, at yard 5c

Women's bleached Knit
Pants, at pair 15c

Women's 10c Knit
Vests, at 7c

Savings to Grocery Buyers

Basement

IXL Laundry Starch, quick to polish,
easy to work, no cooking re-
quired, the package 6c

Chocolate, Regal Premium, excellent
for baking, one-half
pound cake 14c

Prunes—New California,
the pound 4c

Dates—New San,
the pound 5c

Raisins, choice seeded, Snow Point
brand, packed by Silma Fruit
Co., 16 oz. package 10c

Dress Stuffs; Save!

Main Floor

10 pieces Madras cloth, 36 inches
wide, striped patterns, regu-
lar value 19c, special yard 10c

20 pieces dress goods in grey, 36
inches wide, splendid
25c value, at yard 11c

been solved by himself and he has
produced a machine which he claims
will revolutionize modern methods
of power.
Mr. Duhaime is reticent regarding
the features of his invention. He
says he has been devoting all his
spare time for the last fifteen years
to the construction of the motor and
says it will run with absolutely no
force of any kind to keep it in mo-
tion, but the force generated by it
self.

Marriage is a failure only when
one or both parties to it are failures.

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